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REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN,
October 14, 1955.

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present.

Members present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and intervening business were not read by the Clerk. This action was taken after a motion by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Hart, and voted unanimously.

Minutes not read.

An application to Peddle by Raymond S. Miller, 6 Marion St., Chelmsford signed by the Board Members. (Renewal) Fee: None

Application to Peddle signed.

A petition for the location of 1 Pole on Pine Hill Road, C-7317, dated 7/28/55 by the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. was signed by all members. A hearing had been held on 9/15/55 and an abutter, Raymond T. Osborn, desired to have specific information as to the location. It was later learned through a LEL representative that Mr. Osborn had learned where the pole would be placed and he was satisfied.

Pole Location Petition signed.

On a motion by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to re-advertise a "Final Notice" for the submission of requests for street acceptances.

Advertise Final Notice for Street Acceptances.

On a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was voted unanimously that the Building Inspector, Ralph R. Cole, should contact Mr. Frank Mason at 270 Littleton Road, that permission had not been granted for the sale of new or used trailers at this property by the Board of Appeals and that Mr. Mason, because of this ruling, must remove the trailers from the premises.

Building Inspector to investigate Sale of Trailers at 270 Littleton Road.

It was decided that the Finance Committee should be informed of the need for funds for the Workmen's Compensation Insurance account.

Additional funds needed for Work. Comp. Acct.

A Common Victualer License was granted (original) to Charles E. & James F. Smith and Lawrence Piugnarola, d/b/a "Chick'n & Fish" at 4 Dunstable Road, No. Chelmsford. Fee: $5.00.

License Granted.

Letter regarding "Safe-Driving Day" to be forwarded to the Police Chief.

Letter re: "Safe Driving Day."

Letter notifying Board of approval of work done on Chapter 90, Maint. work for 1955.

Chapt. 90 Main. Work Approved.

An invitation for dinner and installation of officers for American Legion Post 313 read.

Invitation to AL Dinner

The Board decided to table for further investigation and study an application for a Pin Ball Machine at Dean's Food, Inc., by Robert Feehan.

Board tables Application for PinBall Mach. Lic.

A lengthy discussion followed with regard to the operation of business activities at Dean's Food, Inc. and it was decided to inspect the premises in the very near future and also to confer with the Town Counsel regarding advice on the matter.

Discussion re: Dean's Food, Inc.

Advice requested from Atty. re: Appeal Board problem.

A letter from the Chairman of the Board of Appeals was read in which information was offered pertaining to the absence of one of its regular members and the ensuing difficulties that had taken place. The Board agreed to confer with the Town Counsel on the subject.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen, November 1, 1955.

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present.

Warrant Approved.

Warrant #81, dated 10/31/55 for $46,142.35 signed and approved.

Minutes Read, & accepted.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read by the Recording Clerk and on a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was voted unanimously to accept the minutes as read.

Fire Dept. to have new location.

Mr. Boyd spoke briefly of the new quarters planned for the Fire Dept. in North Chelmsford from the Robinson property to new location. The Board orally expressed approval of the change, per information received from the Fire Chief. Notice of the change was made Nov. 1st, effective Dec. 1, 1955.

Licenses Granted.

Sunday Licenses were granted as follows:

1. Edgar C. Hunt, d/b/a Ed & Bob's Service Station
   269 Littleton Road, Chelmsford. Fee: $4.00 (Original)
2. John Perry & Robert Landry, d/b/a John & Bob's Shell Station
   81 Tyngsboro Road, North Chelmsford. Fee: $4.00. (Original)

Requests for Street Acceptances & Legal Opinion & recommendatn. re: plans read.

The Street Acceptance Folder, containing all the recent applications for Street Acceptances in 1956, was examined and at the same time a letter from the Town Counsel setting forth certain rgulations he recommends for street acceptance plans was read and it was decided to study this subject at a later date, at which time the regulations might be adopted.

Information for Town Bounds Requested.

Mr. Boyd requested the Recording Clerk to inquire from the Chairman of the Board of Assessors the location of the town's bounds, the number which he might now of, and other pertinent information on the subject.

Sidewalk Petition Received.

A petition was read for the installation of a sidewalk along Golden Cove and Billerica Roads to the Center Elementary School and it was decided to place it in the folder for article for the coming Annual Town Meeting Warrant.

Inquiry re: Additional contract payment.

A statement of account between the Town and Tucke & Parker Co. for Fire Dept. alarm installation work read in which the contractor believed he should receive another $90.00 to be referred to the Town Counsel for his advice.

Sealed Bids opened for Fire Hose & Alarm Installations.

At 8:00 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened in the presence of Allan Kidder, Joseph Murphy, representative for the Maxim Co. Richard L. Monahan and Charles D. Harrington for: 1: purchase of fire house; 2. for Fire Alarm Installation Work.

1. For Fire House, the bids follows:

	2½ Inch	1½Inch	
American Fire Equipment Co:	$1.81	$1.23	Deposit Recd.
Robinson & Co.	1.38	.945	" "
Maxim Motor Co.	1.81	1.23	" "

On a motion by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to take the bids under advisement.

2. For Fire Alarm Installtion Work, the bid follows:

   Louis W. Bills $3,500.00. Deposit Received.

Votes re: Bids for Hose & Fire Alarm.

On a motion by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for the fire alarm installation work to Louis W. Bills for $3,500.00, and that the deposit of $500.00 be returned.

Gasoline Storage Application and Hearing and vote to approve same.

At 8:30 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the application of the Southwell Combing Co. for permission to store an additional 5,000 gallons of Diesel Fuel Oil at 51 Middlesex Street. Mr. Eugene Crane was present. There were no objections to the application and the required registered mail receipts from the applicant were available from the abutters. The total capacity under this grant increases from 71,300 gallons to 76,300 gallons. Mr. Hart moved and Mr. Smith seconded the motion, and it was then voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00; Advertising Costs: $7.50.

Registrar appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was voted unanimously to appoint Edward T. Brick as a member of the Board of Registrars for the unexpired term of James F. Leahey, term to expire 3/1958.

Hannaford injury claim approved.

On a motion by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to settle the claim for personal injuries to Eliza J. Hannaford for the sum of $100.00, per written recommendation of the Town Counsel.

Transfer of Gas Storage License.

A transfer of Gasoline Storage License from Michael & Mary K. Perko to Edgar C. & Mildred H. Hunt and Robert H. Zeigler was signed, for 2,500 gallons at 269 Littleton Road, due to sale of property. Fee: None.

Information for Counsel re: Northgate Bond.

The Recording Clerk was requested to write to the Town Counsel and inform him that the Board did not have any detailed information as to the requirements of road preparation for Northgate Road, so that the Town Counsel might determine if the town can collect on the performance bond on file.

Bids for Gas

It was decided to issue a Call for Bids for purchase of gasoline on 11/15/55.

CTH railing estimate.

It was suggested that William H. Shedd be contacted to obtain a price quotation for railing at front steps of Center Town Hall.

ABC Legal Selling Hrs. on Holidays.

Two press releases for legal hours for selling by liquor establishments for Nov. 11th and Nov. 24th read and approved.

Apportionmt. of cost for repairs to dam.

It was decided to forward immediately all papers relating to the request of apportionment of costs for repairs to dam from Lloyd C. Greene to the Town Counsel for his advice.

Sound Truck for Unitarian Players approved.

Permission was granted to the Unitarian Players for the use of a vehicle with sound equipment for advertising the coming production.

Pole Location Petitions.

Petitions re: Pole Locations as follows were signed:

1. For 1 Joint Pole Relocation on Westford St., C-7394, 10/19/54 by LEL Corp. & NET&TC. to straighten records, signed by the Clerk. No hearing was required.
2. For 44 Joint ownership of existing poles on Gorham Street, C-7385, dated 10/6/55 by the LEL Corp. & NET&TC., signed by the Clerk. No hearing was required.
3. For 9 Jointly owned poles as follows:
    - 1 on Bartlett St.
    - 1 on Gorham Street.
    - 1 on Main Street
    - 1 on Parkhurst Road.
    - 3 on Smith Avenue.
    - 1 on Swain Road.
    - 1 on Woodbine Street.

   C-7389, dated 10/10/55 by the LEL Corp. & NET&TC., signed by the clerk and no hearing was required.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, November 15, 1955

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present.

Warrant Approved.

Warrant #85, dated 11/15/55 for $41,733.30 was signed and approved.

Minutes not read.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were not read.

Contract awarded for Fire Hose.

On a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for the purchase of Hose for the Fire Department from the Maxim Motor Co. for the sum of $2,349.26.

Division of authority in Fire Dept discussed.

The Board discussed briefly the division of authority over the Fire Dept. and Mr. Hart questioned the Board's jurisdiction in such administrative matters when there is a Fire Chief. Mr. Boyd stated that he believed it was necessary for the Board to vote on the purchase of hose simply because Mr. Kidder had arranged for the bids to be opened by the Selectmen and had so publically advertised.

Permanent Police Sgt. appointed.

Then Mr. Boyd read the results of the recent Police Examination for position of permanent Sergeant and on a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was voted unanimously to appoint Basil J. Larkin as Permanent Sergeant.

Constable appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was unanimously voted to appoint Ralph J. Hulslander as a Constable, per request made by application and signed character reports.

Board of Appeals Resignations Received.

Resignations were received from Board of Appeals members as follows:

1. Harold C. Petterson, a regular member.
2. Richard T. McDermott, an alternate member.

On motions by Mr. Hart, seconded each time by Mr. Smith, it was unanimously voted to accept both resignations and that letters of regret be sent to each member.

Petitions for Pole Locations signed.

Petitions for Pole Locations as follows were then signed:

1. For 2 Pole Locations (Transfer of Ownership from Western Union Telegraph Co. to the LEL Corp., C-7395, dated 10/19/55 by the LEL Corp. & Western Union Telegraph Co. adopted by the Board and signed by the Clerk. No hearing was required.
2. For 1 Pole on Fern Street, 4 on Columbia Street, 1 on Beaulieu St., 1 on Clear Street, 1 on Field Street, 3 on Lynn Avenue and 5 on Priscilla Avenue, (all existing poles on streets which were formerly private ways) C-7399, dated 10/25/55 by the LEL. Corp. and NET&TC. adopted by the Board and signed by the Clerk. No. hearing was required.

Pole Location Hearings.

The following mentioned hearings were held:

1. At 8:00 P.M. on the petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 1 Joint Pole Location and 1 LEL Pole Abandonment on Quigley Avenue, (to straighten records), C#7384, dated 10/6/55. No abutters were present at 8:00 P.M. but at about 8:08 P.M. Catherine V. & John E. Secor appeared. Mr. & Mrs. Secor did not object to the petition but did desire to have more information and it was decided to have a LEL representative call and offer this information.
2. At 8:15 P.M. on the petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 1 Pole Location on Wiede Street, C-7393, dated 10/19/55(to straighten records). No abutters were present. Mr. Hart reported that Mrs. Prescott, an abutter had inquired about the petition and desired to receive more information on the matter and it was decided to instruct a LEL representative to call and offer this information.
3. At 8:30 P.M. on the petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 1 Pole Location on Pine Hill Road, C-7379, dated 10/4/55 (to straighten records). No abutters were present. On a motion by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to adopt the petition.

Application for Outdoor Advertising Sign for Nelson's Candy House for location on North Road was read and tabled pending viewing of location before the next meeting by the board members.

Application for Outdoor Adv. Sign tabled.

Letter requesting street light on Dalton Road at Hornbeam Hill Road from Mrs. Ruth C. Slade to be placed in Street Light Folder for future consideration.

Street Light.

Legal Opinions from Town Counsel regarding:

1. Drainage problem on Pine Hill Road to be referred to Street Supt.
2. Payment of $90.00 on Fire Alarm contract to be filed.

Legal Opinions.

Mr. Boyd suggested that the Recording Clerk make a memo regarding voting facilities which will be needed in Prec. 4, now that school is closed.

Precinct 4 Voting facilities.

Letter and Plan available for request to accept portion of Edgelawn Avenue from Frank McMahon to be filed in Street Acceptance Folder.

Request to accept Edgelawn Ave.

Notice of hearing re: State Waterways by the DPW read and to go on file.

DPW Hearing.

It was decided to have the railing installed at the Center Town Hall by William Shedd after January 1, 1956.

CTH Railing.

Application and license forms read and signed for the Transfer of Gasoline Storage License from Jennie V. Lavell, administratrix for estate of Joseph F. Lavell, at #1 - #9 Princeton Street for 2,095 gallons of gasoline. This action was taken on a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith and voted unanimously. Fee: None. Adv. Costs: None.

Transfer of Gasoline Storage License.

Application and letter of reference regarding incorporators of Lowell Assn. for Retarded Children, Inc., namely: Bertha V. & Howard A. Thayer and Dorothea T. Nutter, signed after police report on each incorporator read.

Statement re: character of incorporators

At 8:45 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened for the purchase of High-Test Gasoline in the presence of J. W. Wilkes, Jr., a representative for the Gulf Oil Corp. Bids received were:

1. Gulf Oil Corp.	Discount rate of	$0.0226 per gal.
2. Esso Corp.	Discount rate of	$0.0227 " "

Then on a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was unanimously voted to award the contract for the purchase of gasoline to the low bidder, the Esso Corp.

Sealed Bids for Gasoline Opened and vote to award contract.

It was decided to hold a Special Meeting on Tuesday evening, Nov. 22, 1955 to decide on street acceptance procedures.

Special Meeting to be held.

A group of about 40 persons met with the Selectmen in the upstairs Center Town Hall with regard to the changing of the location of North Chelmsford Fire House quarters. The hearing commenced at about 8:57 P.M. with Mr. Boyd presiding. Mr. Boyd first introduced the Board Members and the Recording Clerk, outlined the past events leading up to this hearing, acknowledged the receipt of a group of signed petitions, and then stated that the Board will first hear from those who favored keeping the quarters at the present location; then those who favored moving to new quarters.

Hearing re: removal of North Fire House Qtrs. from Robinson Property to Gagnon Property.

Those who spoke in favor of remaining at the Robinson premises were Halvar Peterson, Eugene Crane representing the Southwell Co., Richard Foley, Royal Shawcross, William Buxton, Arthur L. Provencal, Clarence Trubey, Carl Lebedainski, James Quinn, Everett Smith and James F. Smith. All testimoney on this subject is elsewhere in this book. (See back cover.)

Opponents to Fire House Removal speak.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 18, 1955; 12:00 Noon.

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present.

Warrant Approved.

Warrant #86, dated 11/18/55 for $4,802.38 signed and approved.

Regular Member appointed to the Board of Appeals.

On a motion by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was unanimously voted to appoint Richard B. Carr as a Regular Permanent Member of the Board of Appeals to fill the unexpired term of Harold C. Petterson, who resigned recently. (Term to expire: 3/1959.)

Alternate Member Appointed to Board of Appeals.

On a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was voted unanimously to appoint Paul W. O'Neil as an Alternate Member of the Board of Appeals (Term to expire: 3/1956)

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Liquor License for new banquet hall at Paramount Lounge Granted.

On November 21, 1955 the majority of the members of the Board of Selectmen signed license forms for the Paramount Lounge, Inc., Frank S. DeAmicis, Sr. President & Treasurer, for additional facilities at 40 Vinal Sq., for new banquet hall in the rear of the present premises. Fee: None. Costs for Advertising: $6.75. On Nov. 21, 1955 license signed by Mr. Boyd & Mr. Hart & on 11/22/55 it was signed by Mr. Smith.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 1, 1955.

Members present.

Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present. Mr. Boyd was unable to attend. Mr. Smith acted as Chairman.

Warrant Approved.

Warrant #88, dated 11/30/55 for $391,656.39 signed and approved.
Warrant #89, dated 11/30/55 for $ 8,591.76 signed and approved.

Minutes read.

The minutes were read by the Recording Clerk of the last regular meeting and intervening special meetings and then on a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was voted it accept the minutes as read.

Certificates of Proofs of loss due to CTH Fire signed.

Certificates of proofs of loss for insurance due to boiler fire at the Center Town Hall signed by the majority. The total cost which was mentioned on these certificates was $1,283.80.

ABC Press release re: Holiday hours for sales.

ABC notice for Liquor Sales Hours for Dec. 26th and Jan. 2nd read and to go on file.

Pole Location hearings.

The following pole location hearings were held:

1. At 8:00 P.M. on the petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 2 Pole Locations on Crooked Spring Road, C-7397, dated 10/20/55 signed after a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith. Both members signed petition.
2. At 8:15 P.M. on the petition of the NET&TC. for 1 Pole Location on Academy Street, #406, dated 11/8/55. Mr. Herbert E. Peterson, representative of the Central Baptist Church, was present and offered no objection. Then on a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, and voted by the members present, the petition was signed by both members.
3. At 8:30 P.M. on the petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for permission to have one pole location on Sheila Avenue, C-7400, 10/25/55. Mr. Albert G. Gauthier was present and offered no objections. Then on a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was voted by the members to grant the permission, and the petition was signed by both members. Letter from an abutter, Joseph L. Gauthier read in which he offered no objections.

Mr. Hart made inquiries regarding appointment of permanent Welfare Agent & learned that a hearing is to be held very soon on the matter.

Welfare Agt. Appointment.

Other Pole Location &/or Removal Petitions which did not require hearings were then signed:

1. Petition of NET&TC. for 1 Pole Removal on Wiede Street, #411, dated 11/25/55, signed by the majority of the Board after adoption.
2. Petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for Relocation of 2 Poles for Joint Ownership on Warren Avenue, #409, dated 11/15/55 adopted by the Board and signed by the Clerk.
3. Petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 1 Joint Pole Location Ownership on Gorham Street, C-7419, dated 11/14/55 adopted by the Board and signed by the Clerk.
4. Petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 1 Pole Location with three-party ownership, on Dunstable Road, C-7398, dated 10/24/55 adopted by the Board and signed by the Clerk. The third party in this case was the Worcester County Electric Company.

Pole Location and/or Removal Petitions.

Letter from the Mass. Dept. of Public Works regarding snow removal aid on certain roads in Chelmsford read and to go on file.

Snow Removal Aid by DPW.

On a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was voted by the members present to approve the installation of an outdoor advertising sign on North Road for Mrs. Nelson's Candy House.

Outdoor Adv. sign approved

Mr. Herbert L. Peterson, representative of the Central Baptist Church, asked that the Board consider the installation of a sidewalk and curbing in front of the new parsonage on Academy Street. It was estimated that the distance might be some 100 to 135 feet in length. Mr. Hart suggested that the Board view the locationand then later on a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was voted to refer the request to the Highway Supt. for his study and investigation with the instructions that the project be accomplished as soon as possible, if feasible.

Academy St. sidewalk requested.

The Selectmen received a telephone call from a resident of Westford, Mass. to inquire if the Board knew of the proposed plans to install a tannery in Westford and the affect it might have on Story Brook flowing from Westford to Chelmsford. Mr. Smith talked with the inquiror, who did not reveal her identity. The Board requested the Recording Clerk to call the Westford Town Hall to make inquiries on the subject and report back to the Board.

Telephone inquiry re: Tannery at Westford, Mass.

The Recording Clerk was requested to contact Mr. Kidder, Fire Chief, as to what facilities might be available in East Chelmsford for voting purposes at East firehouse as the East School is now closed.

Voting facilities at East Fire House to be checked.

On a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was unanimously voted by the members present to appoint Edna House as an Election Officer, Inspector for Precinct 5, to fill vacancy caused by Elizabeth M. Calder.

Election Officer appointed for South.

Letters from the Esso Corp. acknowledging contract award for gasoline and Aetna Life Insurance Co. regarding group insurance policies available for town employees, read and to go on file.

Letters received.

Mr. Hart inquired from the Recording Clerk the procedure to be followed for license applications for liquor establishments, and the new quotas which would soon be announced.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

On December 7, 1955 from 8:30 P.M. to 11:00 P.M. approximately Mr. Boyd, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart visited the various liquor establishments to make the Annual Inspection as required by law.

Board visits liquor establishments.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 15, 1955.

Members present. Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present.

Warrants approved.
Warrant #92, $54,604.62 signed and approved.
Warrant #93, $17,550.79 signed and approved.
Warrant #94, $ 1,567.93 signed and approved. All warrants were dated 12/15/55.

Minutes read. The minutes of the last regular meeting and intervening business read by the Recording Clerk and on a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was voted unanimously to accept the minutes as read.

Many licenses were granted and are listed as follows:

LIQUOR

All Alcoholic, Retail Package Goods Stores; (Renewals) Fees: $500.00 each.
1. Chelmsford Package Store, Inc. 149 Gorham Street.
2. Hirdman's Market, Inc., 229 Chelmsford Street.
3. North Chelmsford Wine & Liquor Co., Inc., 2 Vinal Square.

All Alcoholic, Common Victualers; (Renewals) Fees: $450.00 each.
1. Robert F. & Alice K. Connolly, 100 Tyngsboro Road.
2. Dad& The Boys, Inc., 225 Littleton Road.
3. Princeton Creamery, Inc., 147 Princeton Street.
4. Paramount Lounge, Inc., 40 Vinal Square.
5. The Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road.
6. Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294 & 296 Billerica Road.

All Alcoholic, Druggist; (Renewal) Fee: $250.00.
1. C. Richmond Page, 34 Central Square.

Wine & Malt Beverages, Retail Package Goods Stores; (Renewals) Fees: $175.00 each.
1. Patrick J. Murphy, 39 Vinal Square.
2. Alice C. Haley, 12-14 Vinal Square.
3. Chelmsford Wine Shop, Inc., 37 Central Square.

Licenses Granted.

COMMON VICTUALER - Food: (Renewals) Fees: $5.00 each.
1. Robert & Alice K. Connolly, 100 Tyngsboro Road.
2. Dad& The Boys, Inc., 225 Littleton Road.
3. Princeton Creamery, Inc., 147 Princeton Street.
4. Paramount Lounge, Inc., 40 Vinal Square.
5. The Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road.
6. Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294 and 296 Billerica Road.
7. Irving W. Clark, d/b/a The Corner House, Inc., 7 Acton Road.
8. George K. Hill, 10 Vinal Square.
9. Loraine E. Lachut, d/b/a Vinal Square Variety, 2 Groton Road.
10. Charles E. & James F. Smith & Lawrence Piugnarola, 4 Dunstable Rd.
11. Arthur S. Bentas, d/b/a The Wishbone, Concord Road.
12. Joseph Donovan, d/b/a Elm Diner, 67 Princeton Street.
13. Fred L. Gefteas & Stephen C. Burliss, d/b/a Skip's Diner, Inc.,116 Chel.St.
14. John R. Kydd, d/b/a Jack's diner, 11 Central Square.
15. Anthony Privitera, d/b/a "Tony & Ann", 145 Princeton Street.
16. Charles Ballos, d/b/a Ballos Diner, 17-19 Vinal Sq.

AUCTIONEER; (Renewal) Fee: $2.00.
1. M. Edward Riney, 5 Bartlett Street,

AUTOMATIC AMUSEMENT DEVICE LICENSE; (Renewals) $20.00 fees.
1. George K. Hill, 10 Vinal Sq.
2. Charles F. Dinnigan, 20 Vinal Sq.
3. The Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road.
4. Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294 Billerica Road.

WEEKDAY.ENTERTAINMENT LICENSE; (Renewals) Fees: $5.00 each.
1. Paramount Lounge, Inc., 40 Vinal Sq.
2. The Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road.
3. Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294 Billerica Road.

Auto Dealer Licenses: (All renewals) $15.00 each.
  Class I:
    1. Roger Boyd, Inc., 40 Chelmsford Street.
  Class II:
    1. Percy T. Robinson, d/b/a North Chelmsford Motors, 25 Vinal Sq.
    2. Kenneth V. Cutcliffe, d/b/a Ken's Gulf Service, 100 Chelms.St.
    3. Orman [illegible]. Leland, d/b/a Westland Motors, 293 Chelmsford St.
  Class III:
    1. Sam Abdallah, d/b/a North Road Garage, 374 North Road.
    2. Farley H. Kemp, d/b/a Kemp's Auto Body Shop, Sleeper St.
Sunday Entertainment Licenses:
    1. Fred L. Jefteas, d/b/a Skip's Diner, 11[illegible] Chelmsford St.
    2. Robert F. Connolly, d/b/a Meadow Grille, 100 Tyngsboro Road.
    3. Joseph Giuffrida, 147 Princeton Street.
    4. Erlin Ramsbotham, 141 North Road.
       (all four from 1/1/56 to 12/30/56. Fees: $156.00 each.)

Licenses

Approved.

Permission was granted to the North Legion Post for use of power for the municipal Christmas Tree at the North Common.

Xmas Tree
for North
Common
approved.

It was decided to call for bids for the printing of the Town Report to be opened on Dec. 30th, the next regular meeting night.

Bids for
Town Report
to be rec'd.

Applications (both renewals) for license to Peddle were signed for:
  1. Donald R. Howard, 13 Cedar Street, North Chelmsford.
  2. Robert Charles Yates, 21-A Stedman Street, Chelmsford.

Applications
for Peddlers.

On a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was unanimously voted to appoint Cecilia Dix, whose address is 4[illegible] Carlisle Street, East Chelmsford, as an Election Officer, Deputy Warden for Precinct 4.

Election
Officer
Appointed.

The following-mentioned pole locations hearings were held:
  1. At 8:00 P.M. on the petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for one joint pole location (to straighten records) on Gorham St. C-7420, dated 11/14/55. James L. Reardon and George E. Dailey were present but offered no objections. Mr. Boyd declared the hearing closed and the petition was signed.
  2. At 8:15 P.M. on the petition of the NET&TC. & LEL Corp. for 1 joint pole location on Park Road and 1 Removal on Proctor Road, #408, 11/15/55. No one was present to object. Then on a motion by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was unanimously voted to grant the permission.
  3. At 8:30 P.M. on the petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for one pole location on Robin Hill Road and 1 removal on Byam Rd. #410, 11/16/55. No person was present to object. Then on a motion by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to grant the permission.
  4. At 8:45 P.M. on the petition of the LEL Corp & NET&TC. for one pole location (to straighten records) on Mission Road., C-7433, 11/22/55. No person was present to object. Then on a motion by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to grant the permission.

Pole Location

Hearings.

It was decided to attend a Westford Board of Appeals Hearing on the question of a tannery to be located in that town, on Monday evening, Dec. 19th, 1955. This decision was made on a motion by Mr. Hart and seconded by Mr. Smith and voted unanimously.

Westford Board
of Appeals
Hearing re:
Tannery.

The Board decided to request the Finance Committee for $400.30 for Center Town Hall Building repairs due to recent fire.

Finance
Committee
Request.

Certification figures from the Secretary of the Commonwealth that the population of Chelmsford is now 11,749 read and to go on file.

New population
figures
certified.

Jointly owned pole location petitions.

The following-mentioned petitions for Jointly owned pole locations were signed by the Clerk and adopted by the Board. No hearings were required.

1. Petition for 21 Pole Locations, C-7441, 11/25/55 by LEL & NET&T.

Richardson Road	1 Pole Location	Stedman St.	1 Pole Location
School Street	4 " "	Subway Ave.	2 " "
Sharon Avenue	3 " "	Swain Road	6 " "
Sherman Street	1 " "	Tobin Ave.	2 " "
Sprague Avenue.	1 " "		

2. Petition for 41 Pole Locations, C-7440, 11/25/55 by LEL & NET&T.

Main Street	1 Pole Location	New Fletcher St.	1 Pole Location
Mill Road	14 " "	Oak Knoll Ave.	2 " "
Montview Road	16 " "	Old Westford Road	2 " "
Moore Street	1 " "	Parker Road	2 " "
Naylor Street	2 " "		

3. Petition for 22 Pole Locations, C-7439, 11/25/55, by LEL & NET&T.

Jensen Street	3 Pole Locations	Manahan St.	3 Pole Locations.
Jordan Street	9 " "	Lynn Ave.,	1 " "
Littleton Road	3 " "	Marion St.	1 " "
Locust Road.	2 " "		

4. Petition for 14 Pole Locations, C-7443, 11/25/55, by LEL Corp. & NETET.

Turnpike Road	1 Pole Location.	Woodbine St.,	2 Pole Locations.
Tyngsboro Road	2 " "	Wright St.	2 " "
Westford Street	7 " "		

5. Petition for 35 Pole Locations, C-7442, 11/25/55, by LEL & NET&TC.

Pine Hill Road.	13 Pole Locations.	Robin Hill Rd.	8 Pole Locations.
Priscilla Ave.	5 " "	Roosevelt Road.	1 " "
Proctor Road	8 " "		

6. Petition for 37 Pole Locations, C-7438, 11/25/55, by LEL & NET&TC.

Garrison Road.	1 Pole Location.	Hilltop Terrace	4 Pole Locations.
Groton Road	9 " "	Hornbeam Hill Rd.	10 " "
Grove Street	2 " "	Hunt Road	4 " "
Hall Road	5 " "	Ideal Avenue	2 " "

7. Petition for 24 Pole Locations, C-7436, 11/25/55, by LEL & NET&TC.

Dalton Road	5 Pole Locations	Fay Street	6 Pole Locations
Davis Road	2 " "	Field Street	2 " "
Delwood Road	5 " "	First Street	3 " "
Fairview Avenue	1 "		

Request for Dalton Road sidewalk & white lines & auxiliary police.

Letter from the School Department Supt. requesting consideration for installation of sidewalks on Dalton Road, white lines for traffic and crossings and women auxiliary officers read. It was decided that a joint meeting with the School Supt., Highway Supt. and Board Members should be held to discuss the request so that adequate provision may be made for Town Meeting action.

CTH storm windows.

The Recording Clerk was instructed to obtain prices, etc. for storm windows for center town hall offices.

Board votes to hold Public Hearings on all types of liquor license apolications.

A somewhat long discussion ensued with regard to the issuance of new liquor licenses and the procedure to be followed in accepting applications for same. Then Mr. Hart made a motion that Public Hearings be held on the application that had been filed and those that might be received for the All Alcoholic Common Victualer type. Then Mr. Boyd suggested in the form of a motion that Public Hearings be held on all applications received for all types of licenses. Mr. Smith seconded the motion and it was voted unanimously.

Inqury re: new liquor license quotas to be made.

Then on a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was voted unanimously to submit the letter of inquiry to the ABC to learn the new quotas of all types of licenses to be made available due to change in population and to accept applications for new licenses on and after December 22nd, 1955.

Then the Selectmen met with Vernon Fletcher and Louis L. Hannaford, Jr. with regard to matters pertaining to the acquiring of land off Old Westford Road for school building purposes. Quite a long discussion followed and the two school building committee members requested that they be permitted to contact the Town Counsel for legal assistance in relation to these land transactions. The Recording Clerk was instructed to inform the Town Counsel that he may assist the committee in its work.

Conference re: Building of new school and need for land.

Later on a motion by Mr. Boyd, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to appoint Allan Kidder, Ralph J. Hulslander and Carl A. E. Peterson as a committee and they be empowered to confer with the Town Counsel, if necessary, to study and investigate all matters pertaining to the advisability of purchasing the Davis and Bell properties for Town use, this land being located between the Center Town Hall and the Center Firehouse, and that they report to the Board their recommendations for action by the voters at the Annual Town Meeting.

Committee appointed for study re: purchase of land between Town Hall and Center Fire House.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

On December 27, 1955 the Board Members granted licenses to Dean's Food, Inc., as follows:

1.	All Alcoholic, Common Victualer,	Fee:	$450.00	(Renewal)
2.	Common Victualer, (Food)	"	2.00	"
3.	Weekday Entertainment,	"	5.00	"
4.	Sunday Entertainment,	"	156.00	(Original)
5.	Automatic Amusement Device,			
	10/14/55 to 12/31/55	"	4.18	"
	1/1/56 to 12/31/56.	"	20.00	(Renewal)
6.	Advertising Costs:		4.50	

Licenses Granted.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 30, 1955.

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present.

Members present.

Warrant #98, dated 12/30/55 for $10,309.37 signed and approved.

Warrant Approved.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and intervening business were not read.

Minutes Not read.

It was decided to table the approving of Assn. Dues for the Mass. Sel. Assn. pending receipt of a statement from the Assn. as to the number of towns enrolled as members.

Inquiry to be made re: Sel. Assn. enrollment.

Bonds for 1956 for the Treasurer and Collector, as specified by the Dept. of Corporations and Taxation approved as follows:

Treasurer:	$48,900.00
Collector:	53,200.00

Bonds for Treas.&Coll. set.

The Board then discussed the subject of Street Acceptances and the Recording Clerk was instructed to notify each petitioner the regulations pertaining to plans, etc. Two streets were not approved and they were Biltmore Avenue and Orchard Lane.

Certain St. petitions not approved.

Bids for the printing of the Annual Town Report were opened from the following: Rolfe Printing Corp. for 1000 copies @ $18.78 per page. The subject was tabled pending information to be received from the Town Counsel.

Bids Received & Tabled for Printing Town Report.

Bids for Purchase of Rock Salt for Highway Dept. rec'd.

At 8:47 P.M. Bids were opened for the purchase of Rock Salt for the Highway Department: They follow:

1. Eastern Minerals, Inc. $15.95 per ton delivered.
2. International Salt Co. .715 per CWT.

The subject was tabled pending a conference with the Street Supt.

Civil Defense Committee Members confer with Board re: 1956 Budget.

At about 9:00 P.M. Mr. Bertram T. Needham and Mr. William Edge, members of the Civil Defense Committee, appeared before the Board and explained in detail their requests for budget items for 1956.

Board of Selectmen
by adCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 11, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present.

Joint meeting with Board of Health re: Rubbish Collections.

A joint meeting with the members of the Board of Health, Dr. Charles C. Farrington, Oliver Reeves and Edmund J. Welch and Health Agent, Edward L. Tyler, Jr., regarding the feasibility of requesting the Finance Committee to plan to inte-grate the Rubbish Collection Dept., into the Highway Dept. After some discussion on the merits of the plan, it was generally approved by all concerned.

Contract awarded for Printing of Town Report.

A letter was signed giving notice to the Balfe Printing Corp. that the contract had been awarded to that firm for the printing of the Annual Town Reports (4000 copies) at the rate of $8.78 per page, with delivery to be made on or before 3/1/56.

Public Hearing regarding Liquor License Application for the Corner House, Inc.

At 8:30 P.M. a Public Hearing was held in the upper Center Town Hall on the application of the Corner House, Inc., Irving W. Clark, President and Manager, for a license to sell alcoholic beverages of the following kind: All Alcoholic as a Common Victualer at 7 Acton Road. Mr. Boyd presided, and the hearing opened at promptly at 8:30 P.M. Mr. Boyd outlined the business procedure for the hearing. First the Recording Clerk was requested to read the application and make other pertinent statements regarding the documents on file. Then the attorney for the applicant, Paul R. Foisy, stated the facts pertaining to the request. No other persons spoke in favor. The opposition was then allowed to speak and those persons included Edgar P. George, speaking as an officer of the Center PTA and as an individual, Edmond Polubinski, speaking as an officer of the North PTA, Arthur Worthley, speaking as an officer of the Westlands PTA, Rev. Landon Lindsay speaking as Pastor of the West Chelmsford Methodist Church and Malcolm W. Weeks, Leslie L. Dukeshire, Mourse Mourad, Leonard S. MacElroy, Carl A. E. Peterson, Margaret Robbins Mills, Warren C. Lahue and Walter I. Bell, the latter group of persons speaking as individuals. Then Atty. Foisy made a final statement to clarify certain statements that had been previously made. The Reoording Clerk was also requested to read a letter which the Board had received from Rev. Paul D. Twelves, Pastor of the Episcopal Church inwhich he stated he was opposed to the granting of further licenses. It was estimated that about 80 were present and a show of hands was given for those in favor and the number counted was 49 against the granting of the license and 15 in favor. At about 9:20 Pm, Mr. Boyd declared the hearing closed. A detailed stenographers transcript of the proceedings is on file in the Selectmen's Office.

Board of Selectmen
by adCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, January 12, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present.

Warrant Approved.

Warrant #3, dated 1/13/56 for $35,563.96 signed and approved.

At 8:30 P.M. a Public Hearing was conducted on the application of the Gefteas Diner, Inc., Stephen C. Burliss, Treasurer & Manager for an All Alcoholic License, as a Common Victualer at 116 Chelmsford Street, Chelmsford, Mass.

Public Hearing Regarding Liquor License Application for Gefteas Diner, Inc.

Mr. Boyd presided and thehearing opened promptly at 8:30 P.M. Mr. Boyd outlined the business procedure for the hearing. First the Recording Clerk was requested to read the application and make other pertinent statements regarding the documents on file. Then the applicant, Stephen C. Burliss spoke and explained in detail facts pertaining to the application. Then his attorney, Joseph P. Donahue, spoke briefly and then requested that he be permitted to speak further during the rebuttal period. He was given this permission. Then Joseph B. Hardman and Louis L. Hannaford, Jr. spoke in favor of the application. Then the objectors were permitted to speak and they included Chester Russell, Malcolm Weeks, Forsaith Daniels, representing the Westlands PTA, Ralph J. Hulslander, Police Chief, Edmond Polubinski,speaking as President of the North PTA and as an individual, Edgar P. George, speaking as President of the Center PTA and as an individual, Leonard S. MacElroy, Rev. Paul D. Twelves, Carl A. E. Peterson, Rev. Philip Larson, Walter Lewis, Rev. Landon Lindsay and Warren C. Lahue. Then Atty. Joseph P. Donahue spoke at length in behalf of the applicant. Then a vote was taken by secret ballot, as requested by letter from the applicant. Mr. Walter Lewis requested that only residents of the town be permitted to vote but the Chairman ruled against the request. The results were as follows: Against: 75; For: 33. The meeting closed at about 9:50 P.M. A detailed stenographer's transcript of the proceedings is on file in the Selectmen's Office.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, January 13, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present.

Minutes read.

The minutes of the last regular and intervening special meetings were read by the Recording Clerk and then on a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was unanimously voted to accept the minutes as read.

Articles for Annual Town Meeting Warrant.

Various letters and requests for Articles for the Annual Town Meeting Warrant were read. They included requests from the Police, Fire, Cemetery, Middlesex County Treasurer regarding Retirement matters, and the Industrial Development Commission. All will be placed in the proper filing folder for future discussion and action.

Board votes to join Mass. Sel. Association.

A reply was read from the Mass. Selectmen's Assn. Secretary in which it was learned that nearly all the towns in the state are enrolled in the Association. Then on a motion by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to join the Association for the year 1956.

Meeting for Midd. County Sel. Assn.

A letter was read giving notice of the winter meeting of the Middlesex County Selectmen's Assn. for Jan. 26th at Arlington, Mass.

Auto Dealer's Lic. Applictn. tabled.

It was decided to table for investigation the application for a Class II Used Car Dealer's License for Leon Anderson, 2-4 Vinal Sq., No. Chelms.

American Legion Post 366 requests Memorial Day Funds.

A letter was read from the American Legion, Post 366 of East Chelmsford in which the group asked that sufficient funds be provided in the 1956 budget for a Memorial Day Observance in East Chelmsford. It was decided to call the attention of the Finance Committee to this request.

St. Light request.

A petition was received from residents of Manning Road in which they requested the installation of a street light. The request to be filed in the Street Light folder for future consideration.

Corporation to form.

Notice of Incorporation of the Greater Lowell Junior Chamber of Commerce Donald J. Ennis and George L. Roy, both residents of Chelmsford and both incorporators, read and the Police Chief had filed a certificate of character and police record report with the Selectmen. The certification to the Secretary of the Commonwealth signed by all members.

DPU Hearing EMSt.Railway.

Notice of a hearing before the DPU for application of Eastern Mass. St. Railway Company for fare increase read.

County Ext. Report.

Report of the Middlesex County Extension Service work read.

Moth & Dutch Elm Funds Recommended.

Letter from the Department of Natural Resources regarding the recommendations for funds for 1956 for Moth and Dutch Elm Work. The Selectmen decided to call the matter to the attention of the Finance Committee.

Claim for Damages to Personal Property.

Claim for damages to automobile of Hugo T. Paige of Wilder St., Lowell while driving on Old Westford Road in the amount of $44.80 read and the Board discussed the matter for a short while and decided to nofity Mr. Paige that they do not feel that the town is responsible for the damages and therefore they do not approve a settlement.

Complaint regarding Pole Location Grant.

Mr. Hart stated that he had talked with Mr. Donald C. Fox with respect to a certain pole location grant on Park Road and Mr. Fox was dissatisfied with the final arrangements. The Recording Clerk was requested to call the LEL Corp. and ask the representative to confer with Mr. Boyd in order that the Board may have all the facts before making any decision in the matter. The request involves Petition #C-7193, dated 2/24/55 and granted at a hearing on 4/1/55 at 8:00 P.M., for Park Road.

Public Hearing regarding Liquor License for Henry J. Finneral.

At 8:30 P.M. a Public Hearing was held in the upper Center Town Hall on the application of Henry J. Finneral for a license to sell alcoholic beverages of the following kind: All Alcoholic, as a Common Victualer at 86 Chelmsford Street. Mr. Boyd presided and the hearing opened shortly after 8:30 P.M. Mr. Boyd outlined the procedure of business for the hearing. First the Recording Clerk was requested to read the application and make pertinent statements regarding the documents on file. Then the applicant, Henry J. Finneral, spoke at length and explained all details pertainig to his request. He was not represented by an attorney. No other persons spoke in favor of the application. Then the opposition was allowed to speak, and they included Malcolm Weeks, Arthur Wortheley, representing the Westlands PTA, Edmond Polubinski, representing the North PTA and also speaking as an individual, Edgar P. George, representing the Center PTA, Leslie Dukeshire, Warren C. Lahue and Clarence W. Hope. Petitions were also filed with the Board protesting the granting of this license and they were signed by quite a number of persons. Then Henry J. Finneral spoke in rebuttal. Later a hand vote was taken and the results were: Against: 40, For: 1. The hearing closed at about 9:00 P.M. A detailed stenographer's transcript of the proceedings is on file in the Selectmen's Office.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

- Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, January 20, 1956 -

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present.

The meeting commenced at about 10:45 AM.

On a motion by Mr. Hart , seconded by Mr. Smith, it was voted unanimously to request the Town Counsel to check into the legality of the election of the employee's member of the Personnel Board and to report his findings to the Selectmen as soon as possible.

Legal Opinion requested re: Electio of Employees Member of Personnel Board.

Then the Board to action on the various liquor license applications which had been filed in previous weeks:

1. On the application of the Corner House, Inc.
   On a motion by Mr. Hart, to grant an All Alcoholic Common Victualer License, no member of the Board seconded the motion and thus the motion died. Then on a motion by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Boyd, who stepped down from the chair, it was voted by the majority of the members that the license to the Corner House, Inc. be denied. Those members voting to deny were Mr. Smith and Mr. Boyd. Adv.Chgs: $15.50

Vote to deny liquor license to Corner House, Inc.

2. On the application of the Gefteas Diner, Inc., the Board read a letter requesting that the application be withdrawn without prejudice. This letter was dated Jan. 16th and was received by the Recording Clerk on Jan. 19th, 1956. Adv:$15.75

Application for Liquor License for Gefteas Diner, Inc. withdrawn.

3. On the application of Henry J. Finneral;
   On a motion by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to deny the license for an All Alcoholic, Common Victualer License. Adv. charges: $16.75

Vote to deny liquor license to Henry J. Finneral.

Warrant #4, dated 1/20/56 for $6,659.30 signed and approved.

Warrant approved.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

- Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, January 23, 1956 -

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present.
The Board met with the Town Counsel regarding the various articles for the Warrant of the coming Annual Town Meeting.

Conference with the Town Counsel

Later in the evening, after a discussion regarding the merits of the Selectmen-Town Manager Form of Government, on a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was unanimously voted to oppose the House of Representatives Bill #1893 for this type of government for the Town of Chelmsford. A hearing was scheduled for 1/24/56 at 10:30 A.M. and Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart stated they would attend. The Recording Clerk was instructed to place the fore-going vote in writing for the Committee on Towns and to obtain a certified copy of the Report of Committee given at the Annual Town Meeting 3/14/55. It was learned at this time that the proposed Public Hearing on the subject was not held.

Vote to oppose Selectmen-Town Manager form of government bill.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

- Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 1, 1956. -

Members present.

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present.

Warrant approved.

Warrant #6, dated 1/31/56 for $43,014.89 signed and approved.

Conference regarding storage of explosives.

Mr. Joseph Lukas and Mr. Edward Baron appeared before the Board with regard to the storage of explosives at Chestnut Hill and certain statements were made regarding alleged violations of laws which control storage of explosives. Mr. Hart suggested, and the other members of the Board concurred, that the charges be made in writing so that the Board might read them and then forward them to the Town Counsel for his advice. Mr. Lukas stated that he would oblige.

Pole Location Hearings.

The following-mentioned pole location hearings were held:

1. At hearing scheduled for 8:00 P.M. was held at 8:15 P.M. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Acton Road, by the NET&TC. and LEL Corp. #413, dated 12/28/55. Mr. John J. Fay and Mr. Walter L. Ferguson, Sr. were present and did not object to the location. Later Mr. Ferguson asked assistance inhaving two poles (#37 and #39) on Acton Road moved and the Recording Clerk was requested to contact the LEL Corp. for their investigation and study. Also Mr. Ferguson asked that a tree on town property near Pole #39 be removed and the Recording Clerk was requested to contact the Tree Warden for his investigation of the request.
2. At hearing scheduled for 8:15 P.M. was held at 8:25 P.M. for 70ft. of buried cable on Turnpike Road and 160 feet of buried cable on Warren Ave. by the NE&T&TC, #412, dated 12/28/55. Mr. Joseph F. Mello was present and did not object to the petition. Then the petition was signed.
3. At hearing scheduled for 8:30 P.M. and conducted on schedule for 1 Pole Location & 2 Pole Location Abandonments on Princeton Blvd., C-7460, dated 1/3/56 by the LEL Corp. Mr. Silvio N. Champagne was present and did not object. Then the petition was signed. Later Mr. & Mrs. Richard McIsaac (wife's name: Therese), both representing Mrs. Amanda M. Villemaire, appeared and did not object.

Request for Seasonal All Alcoholic License.

Mrs. James C. Harrington appeared before the Board with respect to the possibility of receiving a Seasonal All Alcoholic License for the Chelmsford Wine Shop, Inc. It was stated that a certification of seasonal population influx of temporary residents must be sent to the ABC before any such licenses could be given. The Board members agreed to study the matter.

Resolution to Honor Editor of Lowell Sun voted.

Mr. Boyd spoke to the Board Members regarding the making of a resolution in memory of the late editor of the Lowell Sun, Mr. Thomas Costello. It was finally decided that a page in the records should be set aside for this purpose with a copy of same to be sent to the members of the immediate family. This action was taken, in the form of a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, and voted unanimously.

Applications signed for Peddlers' Licenses.

The following-listed applications for renewal of Peddlers' Licenses were signed:
1. Bertram H. Brown, 200 Groton Road, North Chelmsford. Fee: None.
2. Charles Warren Livingston, 36 Newfield St.,No. " " "

Certification of character for Incorp. of Assn.

A notice of Incorporation of the Home Builders Assn. of Greater Lowell and request that certification of character, etc. of one of the incorporators, Harold J. Pearson, read and then signed.

Joint Meeting with Rep. Form of Tn.Mtg.Govt Committee.

The Selectmen suggested that a joint meeting with the Committee for Representative Form of Town Meeting Government be held and that a letter be mailed to Mr. Cristy Pettee requesting same so that a report may be given at the Annual Town Meeting with regard to the Selectmen filing a bill in the legislature for this committee .

Selling Hours for Liquor Firms.

Hours of Sale for Liquor Establishments for Feb. 22nd read and approved.

Applications for three outdoor signs in North Chelmsford read and were taken by Mr. Smith for his study and report to the Board.

Application for Outdoor Adv. Signs.

Letter received from Atty. for Lloyd Greene regarding mill dam water rights and pending court hearing to be forwarded to the Town Counsel.

Greene vs Chase Water Rights Case.

County TB Hospital Assessment for 1956 read & to be referred to Assessors.

1956 TB Hosp Assessment.

Notice of Appeal Board Hearing for Walter I. Bell and request that Board Members be present read and to go on file.

Bell Bd. of App. Hrg.

On a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Boyd it was voted unanimously that the Recording Clerk should contact the NY, NH & H Railroad thru the local Station Agent, and request that barrier at Manahan Street grade crossing be removed to aid firefighters who use the crossing from time to time.

RR Barriers at Manahan Street.

A letter from the Director of Civil Service read in which attention was called to the fact that all Sealers in towns of 10,000 population are to be covered by Civil Service and the Recording Clerk was directed to obtain further information on the subject prior to completing of forms attached.

Civil Serv. coverage for Sealer.

It was decided to Call for Bids for three Police Cruisers for Feb. 15th.

Bids for Police Cruisers.

The Board decided that if a new hot water heater is needed for the Health Dept. Laboratory, the Health Dept. should pay for the cost of same.

Lab Heater.

Disposition of the following-listed letters was made:

To the Historical Society - A letter from the Boston Nat. Historic Sites Commission.

To the local Civil Defense Committee - A directive from the State Civil Defense Agency.

Disposition of various communicatns

Mr. Hart then spoke on matters as follows:

First he stated he believed that the Polling Place for East Chelmsford would be the East Firehouse but had later learned that it would be at the East School and he stated that he had informed certain persons that the voting would be at the Firehouse. Mr. Boyd then spoke on the subject and regretted that confusion had resulted but it appeared that the Firehouse quarters, he believed, were inadequate. Mr. Smith concurred.

Voting location at East.

Secondly, he spoke about the construction of portion of Route 3 from Route 110 to the N.H. line and suggested that a letter be sent to Mr. John A. Volpe requesting date schedules for commencing and completing the work and that Mr. Volpe be informed that present state highway conditions thru North Chelmsford have caused much inconvenience, safety hazards and increased costs to the town. Mr. Boyd and Mr. Smith agreed that it would be in the best interest of the town to obtain this information.

Request for schedule of State Rd. Constructn.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

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Citizen of
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Lowell

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To the Memory Of

THOMAS F. COSTELLO

Editor & Publisher of

THE LOWELL SUN

By the Members of the Board of Selectmen at a Regular Meeting of the Board held at the Chelmsford Center Town Hall on Wednesday evening, February 1, 1956 at 7:30 P.M. in the evening.

The Members of the Board of Selectmen desire to place in public record within the Town of Chelmsford recognition of the outstanding qualities of

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in the field of Public Relations and particularly for his many services to the Greater Lowell Community, and that this page shall be a Testimonial of Condolence to the family of THOMAS F. COSTELLO, who passed away January 31, 1956.

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- Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 15, 1956 -

Members present.

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart, were present.

Warrant Approved.

Warrant #10, dated 2/15/56 for $37,897.95 signed and approved.

Minutes not read.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were not read.

South Chelms. VIA Members present re: closing of Pond Street

Charles A. House, John F. Thompson, Edward V. Whalen, Ralph E. House and Roy Gardner, all members of the South VIA, appeared before the Board with regard to an article for the Town Meeting Warrant for the closing of Pond Street during the summer months for recreational purposes. They were disappointed that the article was not included in the Annual Town Meeting Warrant but appeared satisfied when the Chairman, Mr. Boyd, suggested that the matter come before the voters at a coming special meeting. They were instructed to confer with the Town Counsel regarding the preparation of their article so that it would be ready when the warrant is prepared.

Sealed Bids opened for purchase of Police Cruisers. No decision reached.

At 8:00 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened for the Purchase of three automobiles for cruisers for the Police Dept., and the trading in of two present cruisers. Present at the time of opening were Vincent M. Borrows, Al Milanazzo and Jim Kelly, all representatives from 1400 Motors.
The bids follow:

1. Lowell Motor Sales, Inc., (Ford)
   For three cars & taking in trade 2 cars $5,429.00.
2. Roger Boyd, Inc., (Chevrolet)
   for three cars & taking in trade 2 cars $3,996.00.
   ($948.00 per car with 1 trade in; total $1,896.00)
   (2100.00 for additional car 2,100.00)
3. 1400 Motors (Mercury)
   for 3 cars & trading in 2 cars: $5,422.00.
   alternate bid - for 2 cars & trade in of 2 cars: 2,978.00

No decision was reached at this time. The subject was then tabled.

North Road Development (Loiselle) discussed.

A discussion then followed regarding the development of property on North Road formerly owned by Mr. Loiselle, and the type of construction being installed. It was finally decided to request professional engineering advice regarding these matters.

Applications to Peddle signed.

Applications to peddle were signed for:

1. Kenneth C. Howard, 216 Princeton St., No. Chel. (Renewal) No fee.
2. Armand A. Santerre, 21 Gorham St., East Chel. " " "

Town Report Printing.

The Recording Clerk was requested to inquire as to the progress of the printing of the Town Reports to determine if the deadline of March 1st, will be met. It was decided to use the Tercentenary Seal on the cover and inside first page and to have the wording "300th Anniversary Report" appear on the cover.

Discussion & request for Town Counsel's opinion re: Storage of Explosives.

Messrs. Joseph Lukas and Edward Baron appeared and inquired about the papers relating to alleged violations of storage of explosives in Chelmsford which had been filed earlier with the Recording Clerk. It was stated that the Town Counsel had commenced his study of this matter and would undoubtedly report back to the Selectmen within a few days. Both Mr. Lukas and Mr. Baron emphasized the need for prompt action by the Selectmen and Town Counsel and Mr. Boyd stated he would confer with the Town Counsel the following morning. Mr. Hart explained the Board's position in detail and stated that the Town Counsel should be allowed a reasonable length of time in which to study and advise the Board on such an important matter. Mr. Lukas & Mr. Baron then offered to wait a few more days before taking any further action in the matter.

Joint Mtg. with Committee members for Rep. Tn. Mtg. Govt.

Messrs. Cristy Pettee and Oliver Reeves, representatives from the Committee for Representative Form of Town Meeting Government were present and gave the Selectmen a report of their activities, investigation, study and their suggestions for further steps in bringing the matter before the voters for their final decision. It was finally decided that they would gather the additional information for a bill to be presented to the State Legislature and that possibly Public Hearings would be held in the fall of 1956.

New Wiring for upstairs CTH.

Specifications for the re-wiring of upstairs Center Town Hall read and it was suggested that copies of same be sent to at least three electricians for their price quotations; letters to be opened March 1st.

Forms to be completed for Sealer coverage on Civil Serv.

The Recording Clerk was requested to complete the Civil Service Forms regarding coverage of position of Sealer of Weights & Measures.

Trailer Sales Lic. denied.

Applications received and read for License to Sell Trailers and Mobile Homes at Littleton Road premises of Susan Mason. The Recording Clerk was requested to notify Mrs. Mason that the license could not be granted until a zoning variance is granted.

Gov. Receptn.

The Recording Clerk was requested to notify the Executive Office at the State House that the Selectmen & their wives would attend the Governor's Reception on Feb. 22nd.

Vinal Sq. Novalux Lights.

Mr. Smith then introduced the subject of additional Novalux Lights which are needed at Vinal Sq. and it was decided to review this matter after the appropriation is established.

Inquiry to be made re: schedule of Princeton St. Bridge Repairs.

Request that Railway Express Agency Extend pick-up and delivery coverage.

Mr. Hart then spoke on two matters as follows:

1. That the Board should inquire as to the DPW construction work schedule for the Princeton Street bridge and to suggest that work not commence until after Labor Day 1956 unless there is positive information that the work will be completed by July 1st. It was felt that it would be most unwise to have traffic detoured during July and August. Then Mr. Hart moved, seconded by Mr. Smith, and an unanimous vote followed requesting that the Recording Clerk prepare a letter to Commissioer Volpe for this information.
2. That the Board should attempt to have the American Railway Express Agency extend their pick-up and delivery service in Chelmsford to cover the entire town instead of just heavily-populated sections. The Recording Clerk was requested to prepare a letter with such a request for the Agent's consideration.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

- Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 23, 1956 -

Members present.

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present.

Warrant Approved.

Warrant #12, dated 2/24/56 for $8,544.02 signed and approved.

Street Acceptance Hearings:

Street Acceptance Hearings will held as follows:

Roberts St.

1. For Roberts Street at 7:00 P.M.
   Mr. Robert S. Wildes was present. There were no objections. The Layout was then signed by all members.

South Row St.

2. For South Roaw Street at 7:15 P.M.
   Mr. Robert S. Wildes was present. There were no objections. The Layout was then signed by all members.

New Spaulding Street.

3. For New Spaulding Street at 7:30 P.M.
   Harold F. Woodman, Barbara E. Teague and Robert L. Griffin were present. There were no objections. The layout was then signed by all members.

Hearings for Street Acceptances:

Cove Street.

4. For Cove Street at 7:45 P.M.
Harley E. Nutter, Joseph B. Shanahan, Harold F. Woodman and John Bovill were present. There were no objections. The Board members decided to arrange a joint meeting on Feb. 24th with Mr. Nutter and Richard L. Monahan regarding changing of plans affecting drainage line and Mr. Nutter was requested to furnish a bond when it was learned that the required catch basins and drainage had not been installed. The layout was not signed at this time.

New Fletcher Street.

5. For New Fletcher Street at 8:00 P.M.
Mr. Harley E. Nutter, John Bovill, Harold F. Woodman and Joseph B. Shanahan were present. There were no objections. The layout was signed by all members.

McFarlin Rd.

6. For McFarlin Road at 8:15 P.M.
Arthur Pratt, Allan A. Ludwig, Michael F. Terrazzand, Daniel C. Wing and Thomas J. Steel were present. There were no objections. The layout was signed by all members.

Eclipse Ave.

7. For Eclipse Avenue at 8:30 P.M.
Howard T. McGaughey was present. There were no objections. The layout was signed by all members.

Moonbeam Avenue

8. For Moonbeam Avenue at 8:45 P.M.
Howard T. McGaughey was present. There were no objections. The layout was signed by all members.

Joy Street

9. For Joy Street at 9:00 P.M.
No persons were present, thus there were no objections. The layout was signed by all members.

Susan Ave.

10. For Susan Avenue at 9:15 P.M.
No persons were present, thus there were no objections. The layout was signed by all members.

Edgelawn Ave.

11. For Edgelawn Avenue at 9:30 P.M.
No persons were present, thus there were no objections. The layout was signed by all members.

Northgate Road.

12. For Northgate Road at 9:45 P.M.
Eben G. Gifford and Harold A. Calpin were present. There were no objections. The layout was signed by all members.

Deborah Terrace

13. For Deborah Terrace at 10:00 P.M.
Hans H. Schliebus was present. There were no objections. The layout was signed by all members.

Douglas Road.

14. For Douglas Road at 10:15 P.M.
Hans H. Schliebus was present. There were no objections. The layout was signed by Mr. Boyd and Mr. Smith.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, February 25, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, and Mr. Hart were present during the hearing sessions. Mr. Hart arrived later.

Street Hearings for Warren Ave. Ext. & Pearson Street.

Street Acceptance Hearings were held as follows:

1. At 1:00 P.M. for Warren Avenue Extension. Mr. Harold J. Pearson was present. There were no objections. The layout was signed by Mr. Boyd and Mr. Hart.
2. At 1:15 P.M. for Pearson Street. Mr. Harold J. Pearson and Donald W. & Isabelle O. Cameron were present. There were no objections. The layout was signed by Mr. Boyd and Mr. Hart.

Cove St. layout signed.

The layout was signed for Cove Street at this time as the petitioner, Mr. Nutter had provided a notarized statement that he would install the required drainage line and catch basins. Also revised plans were received from Mr. Nutter's engineer. Drainage easement to be furnished later.

Board studies Street Taking & location where explosives are stored.

Later the Board Members visited:

1. The area at Chelmsford & Fletcher Street regarding taking and improvement of approach to Chelmsford Street.
2. The property owned by Thomas W. Sugden, at base of Chestnut Hill where explosives are stored.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

- Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen -
March 1, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present.

Warrants Signed.

Warrant #13, dated 2/29/56 for $40,942.04 signed and approved.
Warrant #14, dated 3/ 1/56 for $ 5,763.31 signed and approved.

Minutes not read.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and intervening special meetings were not read at this time.

Temporary & one Permanent Election Officer Appointed.

The subject of appointment of regular and temporary Election Officers was discussed and the following action was taken:

On a suggestion by Mr. Hart, the appointment of John J. Foley, as Deputy Warden for Precinct 6, was approved. (Permanent Appointment)

Other selections as temporary workers approved are as follows:

Mrs. Florence Beauregard as Warden to replace Mrs. Welsh.
Mrs. Helen Aubrey as Dep. Warden to replace Mrs. Beauregard.
Mr. Joseph H. Dunigan as Inspector to replace Mrs. Dora Tucke.
Mrs. M. Lorraine Simard as Inspector to replace Mrs. Marguerite Perham.

Mr. Armand O. Gagne arrived at about this time to observe meeting procedure.

Sundry Election matters to be checked.

Then the Recording Clerk was requested to check on the following election matters:

1. That the East School voting facilities are ready for use.
2. That the Westlands School voting facilities are ready for use.
3. That Mr. Thomas Sugden be contacted for installing temporary entrance and exit partition for Precinct 1.
4. That the Street Supt. be contacted so that voting booths may be installed for Precinct 1.

Pole Location Hearings held.

The following-listed pole location hearings were then held:

At 8:00 P.M. on the petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Pine Hill Road., C-7482, dated 1/31/56. Leo J. Langlois, George Ablacinski and Frank Yeschanin, interested parties, were present but did not offer any objections to the location. The hearing was declared closed by Mr. Boyd and then the petition was signed.

At 8:15 P.M. on the petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 1 Jt. Pole Location on Bradford Road, C-7479, dated 1/26/56. Mr. Langlois, Mr. Ablacinski and Mr. Yeschanin were present, as well as Mr. Harold Hurst and Mr. Gagne; the latter attended both hearings as observers. There were no objections and then the hearing was declared closed and the petition signed . Later at about 8:40 Mrs. Hazel C. Mussen appeared and offered no objection to the Bradford Road hearing.

Bid Received for Electrical Work for upstairs Center Town Hall.

Bids were opened for Electrical Work at the upstairs Center Town Hall. Three bids had been requested but there was only one reply listed as follows:

1. Norman E. Day, Inc.	For $423.00.

It was decided to table the bid for the present.

Auto Dealer Used Car Licenses, (Class II) were then granted to:

1. Harold C. Hurst, d/b/a Harold's Socony Service Station, (Renewal) 112 Tyngsboro Rd, North Chelmsford. Fee: $15.00
2. Leon R. Anderson, d/b/a Vinal Square Garage, 2-4 Tyngsboro Road, North Chelmsford. Fee: $15.00 (Original)

Both of the above-listed licenses were granted after a motion had been made by Mr. Smith and seconded by Mr. Hart, and voted unanimously

Auto Dealer's Licenses (Class II) granted.

A temporary Wine & Beer License was granted to the South Chelmsford Gun & Rod Club for March 3, 1956. Fee: $0.50.

Temporary Wine & Beer License Granted.

A report from the Towers Engineering Service regarding conditions at the Meadowview - Loiselle Development read and a copy of same to be sent to the Planning Board.

Engineering report re: Development received.

Invatition to a meeting in Methuen, Mass. by the Mayor of Lawrence, Mass. for discussion of Highway Plans read and the Recording Clerk was instructed to make reservations for three persons to attend from Chelmsford.

Inviation to Meeting re: Highway matters.

A letter giving notice of a Public Hearing by the State DPW, Division of Waterways, read and to beforwarded to the Town Counsel for his study and recommendation.

DPW hearing re Waterway sent to Town Counsel.

A reply from the Railway Express Agency regarding the Board's previous request for better pick-up and delivery service read and to be tabled.

Reply re: Railway Exp. services.

The Recording Clerk was requested to prepare memos for future town meeting action on the following-listed matters:

1. Article for Billerica Rd. Land Takings for Highway Relocation.
2. Article for Additional Police Dept. Quarters at Center Town Hall.
3. Article for Expense Fund for Committee to Study Representative Form of Town Meeting Government, per letter received from the Committee.

Memos for Articles for Spec.Tn.Mtg. Warrants.

The Recording Clerk was requested to notify the Town Counsel that he should contact the two owners of land on Fletcher Street to determine what amounts would be required for settlement of land taking for road widening.

Town Counsel requested to confer with owners of land re: Taking on Fletcher St.

Notice of a hearing by the State DPW for Route 3 plans read and it was decided that the Police Chief should plan to attend with one or more members of the Board of Selectmen.

DPW Hearing re: Route 3

At the conclusion of the meeting, Mr. Boyd stated that he would like to offer a statement as this would be the final meeting under his Chairmanship and he stated that a copy of this statement would be available for the press on the following day. He desired to offer his appreciation to the other officials of the town and the townspeople for their assistance during his term as a Selectman. Later a statement was filed with the Recording Clerk and is on file.

Statement by Chairman re: his appreciation for co-operation received.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

- Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 5, 1956 -

Mr. Boyd, Chairman, Mr. Smith and Mr. Hart were present. The meeting commenced at 8:20 P.M.

Members present.

Auto Dealer's License Granted

On a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Smith, it was voted unanimously to grant an Auto Dealer's License, Class III, to Roger Boyd, Inc., 40 Chelmsford St., Chelmsford, Mass. for premises located in the rear of Emerson Avenue, south of railroad tracks. (Original License) Fee: $15.00

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

- Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 6, 1956 -

Members Present. Selectmen organize.

Mr. Smith, senior member of the Board, was not present. He resigned on this date. Mr. Hart and Mr. George were present. The meeting commenced at 7:35 PM.

Mr. George moved that Mr. Daniel J. Hart be appointed Chairman of the Board of Selectmen. Both members present voted in favor of this motion.

Chairman Appointed.

Mr. Hart, stepped down from the chair, and moved that Mr. Edgar P. George be appointed as Clerk of the Board of Selectmen. Both members voted in favor of this motion.

Clerk Appointed.

Chairman of Board of Public Welfare Appointd.

Then Mr. Hart, again stepped down from the chair, and moved that Mr. Edgar P. George be appointed as Chairman of the Board of Public Welfare. Both members voted in favor of this motion.

St. Light repairs to be requested.

A report from the Police Chief regarding condition of and the need of certain repairs to street light reflectors, was read and it was decided that the LEL Corp. should receive notice of this report.

Board decides to contact Town Counsel regarding Special Election due to Resignation of Selectman.

It was then agreed by both members that the Town Counsel should be contacted regarding advice for proper procedure in preparing for a Special Town Election to fill the vacancy of the unexpired term caused by the resignation of Donald E. Smith. Both Mr. Hart and Mr. George expressed the wish that a three member Board again serve the town at the earliest possible time.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

- Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 15, 1956. -

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, and Mr. George were present.

Warrants signed.

Warrant #17, dated 3/15/56 for $40,973.48 signed and approved.
Warrant #18, dated 3/15/56 for $ 8,111.37 signed and approved.

Minutes not read.

The minutes of the last regular and intervening special meetings were not read by the Recording Clerk.

Approval granted for Circus.

Mr. Hart stated that he had received a request from the Lowell Forty & Eight Club for permission to hold a Circus on the Manning Road grounds in East Chelmsford on or about July 4th. Mr. George moved that permission be granted and that no fee will be charged. Mr. Hart seconded the motion and it was voted unanimously.

Explosive Storage Inquiry signed.

An inquiry from the Fire Marshal's Office as to name of holder of licenses in Chelmsford for storage of explosives read and a reply was signed as the Recording Clerk had prepared a communication to be mailed.

Crystal Dev. Co. Sub-Division not approved.

The Recording Clerk was requested to notify the Towers Engineering Co. that the Planning Board had not granted a sub-division approval for the Crystal Development Co., but that a new application might be submitted soon. This letter was suggested in reply to two communications from Mr. Towers regarding this subdivision development.

Pole Location & Removal Petitions.

Petitions were signed for the following-listed pole locations:

1. For petition of LEL Corp. for 2 Pole Location Abandonments on Chelmsford St., C-7508, 2/23/56, signed by both Mr. Hart and Mr. George.
2. For petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 1 Pole Location on Gorham Street, C-7502, dated, 2/20/56 signed by the Clerk, Mr. George.
3. For petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 3 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on Gorham St., C-7505, dated 2/21/56, signed by Mr. Hart and Mr. George.
4. For petition of LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 9 Joint Pole Locations of existing poles as follows:

Tadmuck Road,	4 Pole Locations
Twiss Road,	2 Pole Locations
Robin Hill Rd,	2 Pole Locations
Turnpike Road,	1 Pole Location

Petition #C-7503, dated 2/20/56 and signed by the Clerk, Mr. George. No hearings were required on the above four petitions; only adoption by the Board.

Applications for Motor Vehicle Licenses.

Applications for Class II Motor Vehicle Licenses from:

1. George Gagnon, Jr., at 185 Middlesex Street,
2. Eleftherios Liakos, d/b/a P.& J. Service Station, 133 Princeton St.

No action taken at this time, pending study and investigation by the Board.

Plans for Billerica Rd. Relocation on display.

Mr. & Mrs. Walter E. Bedell were present to see the proposed plans of the relocation of Billerica Road. They both expressed disappointment that so much of their property would be taken for road purposes and suggested that flashing light signals be tried before changing the road as possibly the lights might slow down the traffic. Mr. Hart expressed the opinion that undoubtedly the major changes proposed would be necessary and that the work will be undertaken during 1956.

Pole Location Hearing.

A hearing scheduled for 8:00 P.M. was held about 8:15 P.M. on the application of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Greenacre Lane and 1 on Linden Street, C-7495, dated 2/10/56. Mr. Robert S. Field was present and desired to know just where the poles would be placed and also Mr. Hart expressed the wish to talk with the utility company representatives about this petition and a previous one where guy wire had been used. The petition was not signed. Petition later signed on 4/9/56 after Board had been informed the abutters did not object.

Conference with Bldg. Insp. & Builder.

A conference was then held between the Building Inspector, Ralph R. Cole, and Mr. William Thistle, one the builders at the Crystal Dev. Co. The conference concerned the closing down of the development due to irregular building and materials. It was decided that a conference should be held with Mr. Thistle, the Town Counsel and the Building Inspector.

Request for repairs to Crooked Sprin Road.

Three residents of Twiss Road, Ernest R. Thurber, Richard A. Wholley and John Lee, were present to ask for road improvements and repairs to Crooked Spring Road from Twiss Rd. to Richardson Road, a distance of about one-half mile and that plans be made for permanent improvements during 1956. Mr. Hart stated that the request would be forwarded promptly to the St. Supt. for his study and investigation.

Town Election for new Selectman

Mr. Hart then reported that he had been advised by the Town Counsel that the Special Election for a new Selectman could not be held at the same time as the State Primary and that the date of the new election would be announced momentarily.

Nomination of Animal Inspector & appointment of Moth Supt.

On motions by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, the following mentioned action was unanimously voted:

1. To nominate Dr. Winslow H. Merrill as Animal Inspector.
2. To appoint Myles J. Hogan as Moth Supt., (Term Expires: 1957)

Applications for appointments.

Applications for appointment from the following-listed persons were read and all action was deferred:
As Bldg. Inspector: Arthur Gauthier and Ralph R. Cole.
As Election Officer: Gloria M. Patenaude (Precinct 3.)

Suggestion that business area be permitted along Route 3.

A discussion then followed with regard to the desirability of having a business section along the route of the new highway between Drum Hill and Groton Road and on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was unanimously voted to send a letter to DPW Commissioner John A. Volpe suggesting that access to the new highway be permitted along this area for business purposes.

Report of Highway meeting and permission might be granted for fire overhead wires along North Road

Mr. George reported that he had attended the DPW hearing in Boston regarding the route of Turnpike and stated also that he had talked with Mr. Volpe regarding the need for overhead wires for fire alarm purposes along North Road after the new highway is finished. Mr. George was informed that the State does allow overhead wires for specific purposes.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

- Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 27, 1956 -

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George were present.

Town Counsel present.

The meeting commenced at 7:30 P.M. with the Town Counsel, John H. Valentine present.

Other persons present.

Also present were Thomas W. Sugden and his attorney, Howard Hall., and Mr. Joseph J. Lukas, Edward Baron, and their attorney John Leggat.

Meeting called to discuss fence, etc. for storage of explosives.

The meeting was called to determine what could be done with respect to fence to surround explosive magazines at base of Chestnut Hill, owned by Mr. Thomas Sugden. Also discussed was the amount of explosives being stored on the premises and transported by vehicles along public ways. After a long discussion it was finally decided to call upon a representative of the Department of Public Safety for advice on the matter and it was suggested that another joint meeting be conducted at the premises with the Public Safety Representative in attendance. This meeting to be held about middle or latter part of April 1956. This decision was approved by all those present.

Future meeting to be held.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

- Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 2, 1956. -

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, and Mr. George were present.

Minutes not read.

The minutes of the last regular and intervening special meeting were not read.

Quarters for Civil Defense Committee at CTHall made available.

Mr. William Edge was present to ask for the Selectmen's approval for use of a room on left side of state at Center Town Hall for Civil Defense purposes. On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to allow this space to be made available to the Civil Defense Committee.

Fire Alarm Sys. wires over bridge to be moved.

Allan Kidder, Fire Chief, was present to inform the Board that the Fire Alarm System wires across the Princeton Street bridge must be removed due to major repairs due to commence momentarily. He explained what temporary measures would be taken and what the costs would be but he questioned the fact whether he would have sufficient funds available in the Fire Alarm Maint. Account and finally it was decided to investigate the possibilities of having the contractor pay for these costs.

Fire Alarm wires to be moved from bridge.

Pole Location & Abandonment Hearing.

A Hearing was held shortly after 8:00 P.M. for the petition of the LEL Corp. and NET&TC. for permission to place 9 Joint Pole Locations, and 1 LEL Pole Location Abandonment on Graniteville Road, C-7507, dated 2/23/56. Mr. Armand O. & Mrs. Elsie M. LaHaise, abutters, were present and did not object. A letter was received from Helen Becker stated that she did not oppose the locations. The petition was signed by both members of the Board.

Pole Location & Abandonment petitions.

Pole Location Petitions as follows were signed and adopted by the Board and in both cases hearings were not required:

1. Petition of NET&TC. & LEL Corp. for 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Main St., C-7517, dated 3/7/56, signed by both members of the Board.
2. Petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Main Street, C-7518, dated 3/7/56 signed by the clerk. This petition for a joint ownership of an existing pole.

Question re: building of homes less than 1,000 ft. of floor space area.

Mr. Frank J. McMahon was present and stated that he has received deposits from several purchasers of homes in his development and these homes are planned without the 1,000 foot of required floor-space area as voted at the Annual Town Meeting March 26, 1956. He wondered if the permits could be granted in this particular case. Mr. Hart declined to answer and stated that the questions will be placed before the Town Counsel.

Discussion regarding safety conditions for proposed plan for Billerica Rd.

Walter E. & Priscilla A. Bedell, 110 Billerica Road and Bernard & Mary M. Ready, 9 Turnpike Road, were present to discuss the Billerica Road new construction project and they felt that the proposed plan for widening, etc. would not tend to improve safety conditions but instead would allow the traffic to move more swiftly. They suggested that the use of flashing red lights be made to slow down the traffic. Mr. Hart stated that the Board Members would study the proposed plan with the County and State Engineers in an attempt to make the area safer.

Article for closing of Pond Street.

Mr. Charles A. House was present to inform the Board that the Town Counsel had worked on the article for the South VIA re: closing of Pond Street and he will insert same in the warrant for a coming special town meeting.

Objections against storing of explosives..

Joseph J. Lukas, Edward Baron and George Gordon all appeared regarding the storage of explosives at Chestnut hill and they particularly objected to the unloading of delivery trucks on the street and the overcrowding of explosives at the magazines and the total amount being stored on the premises. They inquired about the previous Board of Appeals ruling for the property and it was decided that the Board would make inquiries from the Town Counsel on this phase of the question.

Next regular meeting date.

The next meeting for regular business will be held April 13, 1956.

Warrants signed.

The Warrants for the Presidential Primary were signed and will be posted by the Constable on April 3, 1956.

Licenses granted.

The following-listed licenses were granted:

1. Junk Collector: Omer A. Mairville, 25 Clinton Ave.,
   (Renewal) Fee: $5.00.
2. Auto Dealer's Licenses (Class II): (Both originals) Fees: $15.00 each.
   Eleftherios Liakos d/b/a P.&J. Service Station, 133 Princeton St.
   George E. Gagnon, Jr., 185 Middlesex St., North Chelmsford.

Appointments.

The following-listed appointments were made:

1. Animal Inspector: Dr. W. E. Merrill (Term expires: 3/1957)
2. Veterans' Agent: Gordon P. DeWolf (" " ")

This action was taken after a motion by Mr. George & seconded by Mr. Hart & voted.

New Special Police Requisition to be requested.

List of eligible Special Intermittent Officers for Police Dept. read and it was decided to ask for increased number to be appointed from four to five officers.

Contract for Electrical work awarded.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for certain electrical repairs and alterations at upstairs Center Town Hall to Norman E. Day, Inc., for amount of $423.00 per bid rec'd.

Bids for Highway Trucks to be called.

It was decided to open bids for highway trucks on May 1st.

Contract for Police Cars awarded.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was unanimously voted to award the contract for the purchase of three police cruisers to Roger Boyd, Inc. for the amount of $3,996.00 per bid received.

Bids for all purchases over $300.00 to be required.

The members of the Board stated that they desired that all departments under their jurisdiction request and receive bids for any pruchases over $300.00 and that each department be so notified, and that such bids will be filed in the office of the Selectmen.

Applications for Appmts.

Applications for appointments as follows received and tabled:

1. As Dog Officer: Charles G. Fuller
2. As Building Inspector: William L. Harvey

Annual Appointment of Special Police Officers for Emergencies from Other Towns and City of Lowell

On a motion by Mr. George and seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to appoint the following-listed special police officers for emergencies without pay from the Town of Chelmsford:

From City of Lowell: Chief Francis M. O'Loughlin, Deputy John Murray, Capt. Robert C. Crowley, Lieuts: Richard A. Cullen, Walter L. Kivlan, Peter G. Cuduras and Francis J. McGuane, Captains: Owen S. Conway and John H. Graham, Sergeants: Stanley W. Palas, Richard B. Fiedler, Albert H. Johnston, Victor A. Kiloski, John F. Craig, John R. Rammersley, John A. Jordan, Eugene F. McCann, Frederick J. Tompkins, Thomas E. Davey, Edward A. Hassett, Evangelos Kanellas and Edward F. Murphy, Officers: Leo J. Brogan, Charles J. Coldwell, John F. Downing, Andrew W. Hunter, Vincent W. Kulikowski, Thomas I. Leavitt, Gerald A. McElroy, Thomas D. Maguire, Frank J. O'Dea, Joseph F. Tarsa, James H. Burke, Leo C. Crowley, Frederick J. Finnegan, John F. Kealy, Palmer A. Lacoss, Arthur F. Lemoine, Martin J. McGuane, John J. Marshall, Francis J. Sexton, James H. Burns, James R. Donovan, George L. Handley, Thomas F. Kelly, Victor D. Laferriere, John F. McCarthy, William F. McMahon, William P. Nelson, Daniel J. Sullivan and Jacob C. Goldman.

From Town of Billerica: Actg. Chief Joseph L. Ryan and Officers: Robert Olivieri, Robert Morris, Roger Biagiotti, Robert Honnors, Joseph Dwyer, Harold Blake, Paul Holmes, Herbert Page, John Barretto, Joseph Martin, James F. Callahan, John LeLacheur, Joseph Burke, James Hamilton, Harry Henry.

From Town of Westford: Chief John Sullivan and Sgt. John Connell.

From Town of Tyngsboro: George Newell.

For Chelmsford School Property: William F. Connor, John W. Carruthers and Mark H. Norton.

For South VIA Beach Property: Edward Whalen and Gerald P. Chandler.

For Private Duty Work: Joseph H. Durigan, Robert M. Hood & John H. Dixon.

For Lion's Den: George R. Dixon.

For North Town Hall Property: Joseph L. Larocque.

For North Town Dump Property: Omer Mainville.

For Varney Playground Property: Homer B. Bacon.

Street Light shields.

Requests for Street Light Shields on Westford Street and Davis Road tabled.

Legal case re: Water rights.

Letter from Atty. Ginsburg regarding Greene vs Chase case read and Mr. Hart stated he had received previous information on the subject and that the matter had been referred to the Town Counsel.

The following-listed communications were received and read:

1. Suasco Watershed Assn. Meeting Notice to be filed.
2. Notice from various Taxpayers re: House Bill #2689, for control of heavy traffic on certain streets, to go on file.
3. Notice of Decision for Mason Trailer License Application to be filed.
4. Letter re: contents for Fidelity Bond for Chester Whitney to be filed.
5. Letter re: Representative for Youth Service Committee to be filed.
6. Notice of Hearing by DPU re: B&M. service discontinuation to be filed.

Disposition of various communicatns.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

- Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 13, 1956 -

Mr. Hart, chairman, and Mr. George were present.

Members present.

Seven warrants for a special town meeting scheduled for 4/26/56 signed and approved.

Spec.Tn. Mtg.Warrants signed.

The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was waived.

Minutes not read.

Application to peddle was signed for Francis L. Pasho, 128 Riverneck Rd., Chelmsford. (Renewal) No fee.

Application to Peddle signed.

The following-listed Sunday Licenses were granted: (All renewals) Fees: $4.00 each.

1. Arthur W. Strick, 173 Chelmsford St.
2. Wilfred Pare, d/b/a Pare's Grocery, 114 Gorham Street.
3. C. Richmond Page, d/b/a Page's Drug Store, 35 Central Sq.
4. Mrs. Nelson's Candy House, 292 Chelmsford Street.
5. John E. Secor, d/b/a Secor's Mkt., 75 Middlesex Street.
6. James R. Durkee, 144 Gorham Street.
7. Gladys A. Leslie, 249 Boston Road.
8. John J. McEnaney, d/b/a McEnaney's Mkt., 65 Middlesex St.

Licenses granted.

Application for appointment to position of Building Inspector from Wilfred Pare read and to be tabled pending further consideration.

Application for Appmt. tabled.

Letters regarding new House Bill for control of heavy vehicle traffic to go on file.

Letters to be filed.

Letter from the Great American Indemnity Co., via the Town Counsel, for information of Fidelity Bond for Colonial Estates, read and it was decided to inquire from the Planning Board the dimensions of streets covered under the bond and then inquiries to be made from the St. Supt. to determine if required work had been completed.

Inquiry re: Performance Bond-Colonial Estates.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. Hart it was voted unanimously to appoint the following-listed weighers and measurers:

For Proctor Lumber Co: Measurers of Lumber - Wyman Russon, Peter Brow, Paul Pigeon, Walter Edwards, Jr., R. Hamilton Pickard, Jr., Ray Pickard, Charles Egerton, Richard Davis and William B. Batchelder.

Measurers of Wood & Sawdust - Charles Egerton, Wyman Russon, R. Hamilton Pickard, Jr., Richard Davis and William B. Batchelder.

For Amasa W. Brown Co: Weighers & Measurers: Amasa W. Brown, Marguerite H. Brown, and Howard O. Wright.

For Southwell Combing Co.: Weighers - David Hamer, Joseph Bomal, Bernard Kane, Alfred Ducharme, Paul Westwood, Warren Shedd, Weston Gifford, Elmer Peverill, William Holland, Joseph Foley, Chester Timmins, Edward Whitworth, James Robinson, Robert Malley, Thomas Broscombe.

For Geo. C. Moore Wool Scouring Mills: Weighers - Mederic Tousignant

Weighers and Measurers appointed.

Weighers Appointed.

John J. Hehir, Elfstrom V. Johnson, Clark Dixon, Warren Mansur, Sewell E. Bowers, J. Henry Duffy, Thomas Miskell, Frederick W. Knox, Francis J. Sakalinski, Francis Miskell and James W. Coughlin.

Zoning matters along new route of State Highway.

Letter from the DPW. regarding zoning matters along route of new highway read and Mr. Hart reported that he had conferred with a Mr. Kiernan, a DPW representative, and he had been informed that the department does not approve the placing of shopping areas along the routes of new super highways. However, he did inform Mr. Hart that a gasoline station and restaurant might be permitted within limits of Chelmsford.

Dog Complaint.

It was decided to have the Dog Officer investigate the complaint of dog nuisance per petition on file. Owner of dog is listed as John J. O'Brien.

Civil Defense communications

Group of communications for Civil Defense matters to be forwarded to the Civil Defense Committee.

Conference with members of High Sch. Bldg. Comm.

Vernon Fletcher and Clifford Hartley were present to confer with the Selectmen as to the need for Special Town Meeting relating to proposed High School land on Old Westford Rd. and they were informed that the warrant had been signed and the warrant contained the school land article.

Conference with member of Insurance Advisory Comm.

Mr. Eustace B. Fiske appeared before the Board and explained the various types of insurance the town carries and offered to explain further details at any future time for the Board Members.

Middlesex County Sel. Assn. dinner meeting notice read & to be filed.

Request State DPW for traffic survey.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to instruct the clerk to write a letter to Rep. Edw. J. DeSaulnier, Jr. to request that he inform the Traffic Division of the DPW that a traffic survey is needed for intersection of Fletcher St. & Chelmsford Street so that the proper action for widening may take place at a later date.

Building Permit fees increased.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to set the fees for Building Inspection Permits at $5.00 for a permit for alterations and a minor-type application and $10.00 for a permit for a new residence or major-type application, effective immediately.

ABC Rules adopted.

It was agreed to adopt the ABC Regulations for hours of sales for liquor establishments for April 19th and Presidential Primary Day.

Invitation for discussion on Wotton Rd. crossing.

It was decided to invite representatives of the Southwell Combing Co. to a meeting with the Board to re-open discussions as to Safety Conditions at the Wotton Road crossing. The invitation would be for the May 1st meeting.

The Recording Clerk was requested to check on the Police Dept. Civil Service requisition for 5 Special Officers mailed to the State House two weeks before.

Board votes to have St. Light fixture repaired.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was unanimously voted to instruct the LEL Corp. to repair or install a new street light fixture on Pole #38 over 6, on Davis Road, to eliminate brightness on Merrill residence.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 1, 1956

Mr. Hart, Chairman, and Mr. George, were present.

Members present.

Warrant #31, dated 5/1/56 for $44,253.13 signed and approved.

Warrant approved.

The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was waived.

Minutes not read.

Mr. Hart stated that he had received a request for additional bus service on Warren Avenue from Boston Road to Turnpike Road and then on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to request the Eastern Mass. St. Railway Co. for additional bus service.

Request for additional bus service on Warren Ave

Mr. Armand O. Gagne was present and his application for appointment as a Building Inspector, previously filed with the clerk, was read and on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was unanimously voted to table the application for consideration at a later date.

Bldg. Insp. Application received.

The following-listed licenses were then granted:

Auctioneer: (All renewals) (Rate: $2.00 each)

1. Eliot W. Remick, 219 Westford Street.
2. Bradford O. Emerson, 143 High Street.
3. Theodore W. Emerson, 11 North Road.

Junk Collector (Renewal) (Fee: $5.00)

1. Giles L. Whitney, 567 Princeton Blvd., Lowell, Mass.

Sunday (All renewals) (Fees: $5.00 each)

1. James F. Eaton, Boston & Acton Roads.
2. Frost & Co., Vinal Square.
3. Arthur P. Kirk, 213 Princeton Street.
4. Lulack M. Jamros, Groton Road.
5. Margaret Zaher, 268 North Road.
6. Joseph A. Thiffault, d/b/a Art's Filling Stat., 206 Boston Road.
7. Mrs. Theodore P. Chianis, d/b/a Ted's Mkt., 273 Chelmsford Street.
8. Charles F. Maynard, d/b/a Dairy Queen, Tyngsboro Road.
9. Fred Fantozzi, d/b/a Fred's Gulf Service, #1-9 Princeton Street.
10. George Swallow, d/b/a A-BA-Co., Inc., 66 Middlesex Street.
11. A.S. Bentas, d/b/a The Wishbone, Concord Road.
12. Fred L. Gefteas, d/b/a Skip's Diner, 116 Chelmsford Street.
13. Carl Ulricson, 54 Chelmsford Street.
14. George K. Hill, 10 Vinal Square, North Chelmsford.
15. John R. Kydd, 11 Central Square, d/b/a Jack's Diner.
16. Richard C. Sullivan, 8 Littleton Road.
17, Eleftherios Liakos, 133 Princeton St.
18. Rose Pansy, 45 Gorham Street.
19. Charles J. Connor and John L. Fish, 148 Groton Road.
20. John Kydd & Sons, 116 Chelmsford Street,
21. Robert A. Capella, 108 Concord Road.
22. Evelyn Gavin, d/b/a Evelyn's Pastry Shop, Vinal Sq.
23. Sam Abdallah, 374 North Road.
24. Frank W., Frank E. & Susan E. Mason, 270 Littleton Road.
25. Wm. F. Grogan, d/b/a Bill's Food Store, 175 Dalton Road.
26. John B. Wrigley, Central Sq.
27. John B. Wrigley, Vaney Playground.
28. George Marchand, Jr., 320 Acton Road.

To Sell Firearms: (Renewal) (Fee: $2.00)

1. Ralph R. Cole, 60 Chelmsford Street.

Application to Peddle: (Renewal) (Fee: None)

1. Francis T. Burns, 198 Boston Road.

Licenses Granted.

Memorial Day Committee Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was unanimously voted to appoint the following-listed persons as members of the Memorial Day Committee:

Representatives from Post 212: (Center)
Valmar J. Gladu, John N. Leonard, Raymond E. Harmon, Jr.
Representatives from Post 313: (North)
Donald Rafferty, Joseph H. Dunigan, B. C. Smith
Representatives from Post 366: (East)
Roland E. Marr, Richard P. Delmore, Robert B. Lovett

Transfer of Property to be commenced.

The members then authorized the clerk to instruct the Town Counsel to proceed with the preparation of deed to transfer title of the Steinburg Property at Crystal Lake, to the North Chelmsford Legion Post 313, per vote approved at the past Annual Town Meeting.

Legal Opinions Received.

Legal opinions (both copies) for Planning Board and Board of Appeals read and to be placed on file.

Juror Drawn.

Mr. Hart then drew the name of Allan D. Davidson, as a Juror for Superior Court Sessions. Mr. Davidson's address: 74 Dunstable Road, North Chelmsford.

Policemen to receive two days off duty with pay for excellent services rendered.

A letter from the Police Chief requesting that Sgt. Harmon and Off. Adams be permitted to have two days off for their exemplary work in handling the work regarding recent bank holdup in Chelmsford. Then on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was unanimously voted to grant the request and also to commend both officers for their splendid work.

Contract for hire of Machinery for Moth,&Tree Depts. awarded.

Mr. Myles J. Hogan was present with regard to the bids recently received for equipment hire for the Moth, Dutch Elm and Tree Warden & Poison Ivy Control Depts. A short discussion followed regarding the bids and then a motion was made by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, and a unanimous vote followed approving the hiring of all equipment from Mr. Hogan for the year 1956.

Pole Location Hearings.

The following-listed Pole Location Hearings were then held:

1. Petition of LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Billerica Road, C-7526, 3/28/56. No abutters were present and the petition was signed by both members. Hearing held at 8:00 PM.
2. Petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Groton Road, C-7529, 3/28/56. No abutters were present and the petition was signed by both members. Hearing held at 8:15 PM.

Sealed Bids opened for purchase of Highway Trucks.

At 8:30 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened for thepurchase of -3- highway department tucks. They follow:

Name of Firm.	Type	Representative Present.	For 2 Trucks.	For Cab
1. Lowell Motor Sales	Ford	None	$11,608.00	$5,400.00
2. R.A.Beauchemin Co.	GMC.	Russell A. Beauchemin	11,640.00	4,686.00
3. Truck Sales & Serv.	Dodge	None	11,758.00	4,649.80
4. Lee Motors, Inc.	Internat.	Percy L. Lee	11,958.00	4,785.00
5. Reo. of N.H., Inc.	Reo	Gil Vallee	12,000.00	5,400.00
6. Mack Trucks	Mack	John McCarthy	13,100.00	5,650.00
7. The Bracken Co.	White	None	None	5,495.00

All bids were taken under advisement.

Sealed Bids opened for purchase of Highway Dept. materials.

At 9:00 Pm. many miscellaneous bids were opened for purchase of highway department supplies and equipment. All were read aloud and the Board took the bids under advisement, pending conference with the St. Supt.

Representatives of the Southwell Combing Co., Mr. Eugene Crane and Mr. James J. Gaffney, Jr., conferred with the Board regarding the re-opening of discussions for the installation of the Wotton Road signal and automatic gates at the railroad crossing. The Selectmen stated they would be pleased to reconsider the plan and it was then decided to have a joint meeting with representatives from the B&M. Railroad on Monday, May 7, 1956.

Re-opening of discussion for Wotton Rd. Signal Lights and Gates.

Letter from the Planning Board requesting that a Special Town Meeting be held after May 22nd for the zoning amendments and the Board instructed the clerk to request the Planning Board to notify the Selectmen of any changes to the plan after the hearings are conducted.

Spec. Tn. Meeting Requested.

Letter from the Billerica Selectmen stating that the Billerica-Chelmsford bound is not properly located and requesting the County Commissioners Engineer to investigate, to be forwarded to the St. Supt. for his investigation.

Chelmsford-Billerica Bound not correctly located.

Approval was given to the Board of Assessors to confer with the Town Counsel relative to the Map Survey Contract.

Assessors to confer with Tn.Counsel.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to appoint Sidney C. Perham as a Weigher at the Perham Cider Mill.

Weigher Appointed.

A petition for 7 Joint Pole Locations on Concord Road, and 8 Joint Pole Locations on Old Westford Road by the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. C-7534, dated 4/5/56, signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Pole Petit'n. signed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was unanimously voted to appoint Allan E. Greenhalgh, Henry F. Mullen, Albert M. Gongloff, Richard J. Wiggins, and Edward J. Giers as Special Intermittent Patrolmenfor the Police Dept., effective 5/1/56.

Special Police Officers Appointed.

Letter regarding lowering and folding of large flags and proper procedure to be followed forwarded to the Park Department.

Inquiry re: Flag lowerings.

Notice of classification of Sealer of Weights & Measures, Anthony C. Ferreira, from the Civil Service Office read and to go on file.

Civil Serv. classifies position of Sealer.

All dog complaint papers relating to the Varnum-O'Brien case to be placed on file as Selectmen were notified that the dog had been removed from the area.

Letter from the State DPW office regarding business enterprises on new section of Route 3 received and the department stated that the request of the Selectmen would be carefully considered.

Business enterprises on new Route 3.

Request for signs which might reduce speed of vehicles on Pine Hill Rd. from Mrs. Robert Knapp read and forwarded to Police Chief for his study and recommendations.

Request for Traffic Signs

Two requests for opinions from the Fire Chief regarding personnel and legal matters received and the members instructed the Recording Clerk to forward the former to Personnel Board and the later to the Town Counsel.

Requests for opinions.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Application to Peddle.

On May 3, 1956 the following business was completed:

Application to Peddle (renewal) to George Edward Baxendale at 215 Granitville Road, Chelmsford, signed. Fee: None.

Wine & Beer License Granted.

Temporary Wine and Beer License grated to South Chelmsford Gun & Rod Club for May 5, 1956. Fee: $0.50.

Contract awarded for purchase of two Highway Trucks.

At a special meeting held May 3, 1956, on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was unanimously voted to award the contract for thepurchase of two trucks for the Highway Department to the Lowell Motor Sales, Inc., for the price of $11,608, per bid received 5/1/56.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 8, 1956.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George were present.

Vote to hold Special Town Meeting.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to hold a Special Town Meeting on May 21, 1956 and that the warrant should be closed at this time.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 15, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, and Mr. George were present.

Warrant approved.

Warrant #35, dated 5/15/56 for $40,700.07 signed and approved.

Minutes not read.

The reading of the minutes of the last regular and intervening special meetings was waived.

Cross St. repairs requested.

Mr. George reported that he had received a request from Mr. George S. Lovett, 8 Cross St., who reported that Cross St was in need of repairs as large holes in the road are prevalent. The Recording Clerk was requested to forward this information to the Street Supt.

Dog Damage complaints.

The Dog Officer, Charles Fuller, reported by phone to Mr. Hart that he had received many calls from persons complaining about dogs damaging property and gardens and he asked that the public be requested to restrain their dogs.

Election Officer resigns.

John J. Foley, Deputy Warden for Precinct 6, was present and offered his resignation in writing to Mr. Hart.

Storage of explosives discussed.

Messrs. Edward Baron & Joseph Lukas were present and discussed the recent visit of Mr. Elliott & Lt. Shimkus & Allan Kidder to the property of Mr. Sugden where explosives are stored. Mr. Hart stated that the Board should receive a report of this conference and also there was need to learn what authority the Board might have over the second building constructed for storage of explosives. Mr. Hart stated he would attempt to obtain this information from the Town Counsel.

Discussion regarding Repairing & widening of roads used by school buses.

Then Mr. Baron and Mr. Lukas called the Selectmen's attention to the routes that are used for bus transportation of school children and it was suggested that the routes be posted with signs to designate the various stops and that the roads be repaired and widened, particularly for winter travel and that these roads should be given precedence over the repairing of other town roads.

At 8:00 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the application of increased gasoline and fuel oil, waste oil, grease, etc. at #1 - #9 Princeton Street, North Chelmsford by Frederick J. Fantozzi, from 2,095 gallons to 11,905 gallons. Mr. Chellis Day, a representative of the Gulf Oil Co. was present. Evidence of proper notification of the changes in storage to all abutters was presented to the Recording Clerk prior to the hearing. Registered mail return receipts were returned from each abutter. No one objected to the application. Then on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00; Adv. charges: $8.50.

Hearing for increase in gas storage.

The following-listed licenses were granted:

AUCTIONEERS: Both renewals. Fees: $2.00 each.
1. Pearl B. Russell, 35 Riverneck Road, East Chelmsford.
2. William E. Riney, 24 North Road, Chelmsford.

TEMPORARY WINE & BEER: Fee: $0.50.
1. Samuel Savard, at South Chel. Gun & Rod Club Bldg., Mill Road, Chelmsford for May 19, 1956.

COMMON VICTUALER: Renewal Fee: $5.00
1. George McMahon, 370 North Road, Chelmsford.

SUNDAY: All renewals, Fee: $4.00 each.
1. Harold C. Hurst, d/b/a Frank's Socony Station, 112 Tyngsboro Rd.
2. William Vaipan, 30 Chelmsford Street.
3. Lorraine Lachut, d/b/a Vinal Sq. Variety, 1 Groton Road.
4. Anthony Privitera, d/b/a "Tony & Ann's", 145 Princeton Street.
5. George Cummings, d/b/a Cummings' Atlantic, 188 Princeton Street.
6. Charles Ballos, d/b/a Ballos Diner, 17-19 Vinal Sq., Chelmsford.
7. Orman W. Leland, d/b/a Westland Motors, 293 Chelmsford Street.

Licenses Approved.

Sealed Bids were opened for Fire Department Equipment in the presence of the Fire Chief, Allan Kidder and Joseph L. Murphy of the Maxim Co., and Edmund Leary of the American Fire Equipment Co. Detailed list of companies, type of equipment and amounts bid, is on file in the Accounting Office.

Fire Dept. Bids Rec'd. and Opened.

The following-listed appointments were then made, each one on a motion by Mr. George and seconded by Mr. Hart, and voted unanimously:

BOARD OF APPEALS, Alternate Member: Frank A. Woodhead, Sr., 134 Boston Road.
POLICE DEPARTMENT, Special Police Officer, for road construction work, without pay from the Town: Thomas L. Mackey, 19 Highland Ave.
SELECTMEN'S DEPARTMENT, Financial Clerk: Frances B. Cummings, 10 Cypress Street.

Appointments

An application to Peddle for Arthur S. Bentas, 190 Proctor Road, Chelmsford signed. (Original) Fee: None

Application to Peddle.

It was decided to make further investigation regarding merits of calling for Fuel Oil Bids for Public Bldgs, Fire and Library Departments at one time; thus eliminating need for three advertisements.

Fuel Oil Bids for three Depts.

It was decided to instruct the Regular Firemen on duty at the North Fire Station to not release key for North Town Hall but instead refer all inquiries for admittance to the Bldg. to the Janitor, Mr. Larocque.

Key for NTH. to be kept at North Fire Station.

On a motion by Mr. George, Seconded by Mr. Hart, and voted unanimously it was decided to defer any action on increase in the fees for the Plumbing Inspector until the next regular meeting.

Action on increase in Plumbg. Insp. fees deferred

Street Lights

Petition for street lights on Warren Ave. Ext and Pearson & Birch Sts. to be placed with other requests for future consideration.

Retirement Board Member.

Letter regarding appointment of Middlesex County Retirement System Board Member to go on file.

Pole Location Petitions signed.

Petitions from the LEL & NET&TC. as follows were signed by the clerk. In each case no public hearing was required:

1. Petition for 1 Joint Pole Location on Boston Rd.,C-7550, dtd.5/2/56.
2. Petition for 1 Joint Pole Re-Locatn.on North Road,C-7532 " 4/3/56.

Holiday Pay for Firemen approved.

Reply from the Personnel Board regarding payment of wages for Holidays when employees in Fire Dept. do not have the time off read and the Personnel Board approved the payment of extra day's pay for lose of holiday time.

Traffic Signs.

Recommendations read for traffic signs on Pine Hill Road from Police Chief and same to be forwarded to the Street Supt. for installation.

Contracts awarded for purchase of Fire Dept. equipment.

Mr. Kidder, Fire Chief, appeared before the Board relative to the bids opened earlier in the evening and on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for purchase of:

1,000 feet of $2\frac{1}{2}$inch hose to Maxim Co. @ rate of $1.50 per foot.
1,500 feet of 1 1/8 inch hose to Maxim Co. @ rate of $0.50 per foot.
6 Fire Alarm Boxes to Bills Co., for $870.00.

and it was decided to defer action on other bids until discount allowances could be checked and other items investigated.

Discussions regarding Highway Dept. and decision to have reports filed with Selectmen periodically in the future.

Mr. George then spoke at length regarding various matters in the Highway Department and particularly the drainage line recently installed on the Remick and Lupien Property which he declared was much expense for little value. Then a discussion followed regarding the condition of the North Dump and the recent fire there. The Board Members then decided that they would request a written report from the Street Supt., to be filed no later than May 18th with the Recording Clerk, to inform the Board of the following listed matters:

1. List of anticipated projects for immediate future thru 5/31/56.
2. Number of men estimated to work on each project.
3. Amount of time estimated on each project.

and that periodically in the future such reports be filed, perhaps twice each month so that the Selectmen might be informed of the plans of the Department.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, June 1, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Minutes not read.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were not read.

Work.Comp. insurance to be pooled.

Mr. Eustace B. Fiske appeared before the Board and explained the need of placing the Workmen's Compensation Insurance in a pool of future experience. Mr. Fiske assured the Board that same payments and same service would be in effect. Then on a motionby Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to adopt this plan.

RR Signal Lights & Gates Contract signed.

Contracts in triplicate for the installation of lights & gates at Southwell Combing Co. Railroad crossing at Wotton Road, as voted at the Special Town Meeting, were signed by all members of the Board, after a communication from the Town Counsel was read stating that the contract was in good form and correct. The entire cost not to exceed $19,417.00 mentioned in the contract.

Warrant for Special Town Meeting scheduled for June 11th signed by all members of the Board. The major article being the Planning Board Zoning Law.

Special Town Meeting Warrant signd

It was decided that the LEL Corp. should be instructed to install the proper fixture placed on the Street Light on Westford Street in front of the Wheeler residence.

Request that St.Light fixture be installed.

The following-listed licenses were granted:
Temporary Wine & Beer (Fee: $0.50)
1. South Chelmsford Gun & Rod Club, Mill Road. For June 4, 1956.
Junk Collector's License: (Fee: $5.00) Renewal
2. Eric A. Forsten, 18 Daley St., Lowell, Mass.

Licenses Granted.

Application for Transfer of a Peddler's License to Donald DeCarteret, 8 Richardson Road, Chelmsford, signed. Fee: None.

Application of transfer of Peddler's License signd

DPW reports of road allotments for Maintenance, Construction of Stedman Street and Billerica Road read.

Chapter 90 allotments for '56 read.

Applications for position of Building Inspector received and read from
1. Arthur Pratt, McFarlin Road, Chelmsford.
2. Ernest E. Burton, 30 Caleb St., Lowell.

Applications for appointments rec'd.

Notices of Public Hearings by the DPU read as follows:
1. For Lowell Gas Company, issuance of stock.
2. For Rates of Dump Truck Assn., (to be forwarded to St. Supt.)

Notices of DPU Hearings.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint the following-listed persons as Wire Inspectors for the Town, at no cost to the Town:
1. James W. Midgley and Herbert G. Carlson, (Terms expire: 3/1957.)

Wire Inspectors appointed.

At 8:00 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the application of the LEL Corp & NET&TC. for 3 Pole Locations on Deborah Terrace and 1 Pole Location on Douglas Road, C-7547, dated 4/24/56. Mr. Hans H. Schliebus and Mr. Armand O. Gagne were present but did not object. The petition was signed by all members.

Pole Location Hearing.

Letter from Mrs. Alvah Boynton regarding restraining of dogs read and the clerk was requested to make a suitable reply.

Inquiry re: restraining of dogs.

Letter from the Westford Planning Board read and the clerk was requested to check into the Camping District Zoning Regulations and forward same to the Westford Planning Board.

Inquiry re: Zoning of camping districts.

Letter from Mrs. Mary A. Wholey, 10 Edgelawn Avenue for traffic control sign on Edgelawn Ave. to be referred to Police Chief for his investigation.

Traffic signs requested.

Letter from Rep. DeSaulnier regarding Enabling Act for Representative Form of Town Meeting Govt. read and to be studied at later date.

Enabling Act for Rep. Govt Received.

Request for increase in fees for Plumbing Inspector read and the Board Members decided that a letter should be sent to the Health Board asking that the fees to the Town be increased to equal the amount of fees to be paid to inspector, before any approval of the increase is given by the Selectmen.

Plumb.Insp. Fee Increase not approved.

At 8:15 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the petition of the LEL Corp. for 5 Pole Locations on Old Middlesex Turnpike, C-7551, dated 5/2/56. No person was present at the Hearing to object. The petition was signed by all members of the Board.

Pole Location Hearing.

Contract awarded for purchase of Truck Cab & chassis.

After some discussion, on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Mc Andrew, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for the purchase of a Highway Truck Cab and Chassis to the Lowell Motor Sales, Inc. for amount of $5,400.00 per bid received and per specifications on file.

Certain Depts to be requested to purchase tires from low bidder.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to send letters to the Highway, Fire and Police Depts. asking each department head to plan to purchase tires for vehicles in their departments from the 1400 Motors, per low bid received recently from that firm.

Inquiry re: deed for new Legion Land.

Mr. McAndrew inquired as to the status of the preparation of deed for North Legion Land at Crystal Lake and the Recording Clerk stated he would check into the matter.

Annual appointments

The following-listed appointments were then made on a motion by Mr. George, and seconded by Mr. McAndrew and voted unanimously:

Board of Selectmen - Recording Clerk: Alfred H. Coburn.(Tm Exp. 3/57)
Supt. of Streets - Frederick R. Greenwood, (Term Expires: 3/1957)
Registrar of Voters- John J. Carr, (Term expires: 3/1959.)
Supt. of Burials of Indigent Soldiers & Sailors:
Cortlandt J. Burkinshaw, (Term Expires: 3/1957)
Town Forest Committee: Arthur M. Batchelder and Edward B. Russell. (Terms Expire: 3/1957)
Zoning Appeals Board: Alternate: Paul W. O'Neil, (Tm.Exp: 3/1957)
Veterans' Emergency Fund Committee: (All terms Expire: 3/1957.)
George Archer   Joseph Sadowski   Perry T. Snow
John McNulty   George F. Waite   Alfred H. Coburn
Honor Roll Committee: (All terms expire: 3/1957)
Robert M. Hood,   George R. Dixon   Thomas E. Firth, Jr.
Civil Defense Committe: (All terms expire: 3/1957)
Bertram T. Needham,   William Edge   Charles Koulas

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George and voted unanimously the following-listed appointments were made:

Town Counsel: John H. Valentine (Term Expires: 3/1957)
Janitors of Public Halls: (Both terms to expire: 3/1957)
Center Town Hall   LaForrest E. Field
North Town Hall   Joseph L. Larocque
Dog Officer: Charles G. Fuller, (Term expires: 3/1957)
Zoning Appeal Board: Regular Member: Charles Egerton (Term Expires: 3/1961.)

On the subject of Building Inspector, Mr. McAndrew nominated the name of William Harvey. No further support by the other members of Mr McAndrew's nomination was offered. Mr. George offered his reasons why he believed Mr. Ralph R. Cole should be reappointed. Then on a motion by Mr. George, and seconded by Mr. Hart, who stepped down from the chair, it was voted by the majority that Ralph R. Cole be appointed Building Inspector,(Term to Expire: 3/1957.) Two voted in favor and none in opposition.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, June 15, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Minutes not read.

The reading of the minutes were waived.

St. Light transfer approved.

A written request for the removal of one light on Rainbow Avenue from Pole #9 to Pole #10 requested by Harold I. & Alyce C. Mitchell approved.

Contract re: Fire Dept. Alarm Wires over Railrd. land signed.

Contract for placing of wires over B&M Railroad property signed by the Selectmen and will be forwarded to the B&M Co. for their approval. Wires to be extended are for the Fire Dept. and contract will later be filed with the Fire Chief. Wires refer to Wotton Road line.

Several persons appear re: drainage, washouts, etc.

Mr. William R. Swanton, Mr. Charles C. Carkin and Miss Lida A. Bliss, residents of Dunstable Road and Harding Street appeared before the Board regarding need for drainage improvements near their homes. They told the Board about recent severe washouts and after a short discussion, it was decided to meet at the premises at 7:00 P.M. June 19th.

Pole Location hearing

At 8:00 P.m. a Hearing was held on the petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&T Co. for 5 Joint Pole Locations on Crooked Spring Road, C-7552, dated 5/3/56. No abutters were present to object. The petition was signed by all the members.

Bids to be rec'd. for office chair

The Recording Clerk was requested to secure bids for the purchase of office chairs for the Selectmen's Dept., to be opened 6/29/56.

Letter re: work on Signal Gates

Letter regarding report when Signal Lights & Gates would be installed at Wotton Road crossing and need for widening approaches read and the St. Supt. to be informed of the latter work.

Request to change name of Dean's.

A letter from Atty. Paul Fitzgerald requesting that the corporation known as Dean's, Inc., receive permission to change its name to Glenview, Inc., tabled and will be discussed and studied later.

Petition for Pole Re-Location.

Petition by the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 1 joint Pole Re-Location, C-7560 dated 5/22/56 on Westland Avenue signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Variance in Bldg. Health codes.

Letter from Health Dept. stating that there is a variance between the Town Building Code and Town Health Regulations read and to go on file.

Licenses granted.

The following-listed licenses were granted:
SUNDAY ($4.00 Fee) & COMMON VICTUALER ($5.00 Fee)
Both to: John F. Thompson, d/b/a Heart Pond Bathing Beach (Originals)

Decision re: Health Hrg.

Letter from Middlesex County Commissioners regarding decision on Noel health complaint read and to go on file.

Complaint re: Dogs.

Registered Letter from Mrs. Ida Murphy giving notice of disturbances due to dogs being left alone for many hours at home of Dorothe Holmes, to be referred to the Police Dept. for investigation and Mrs. Murphy to be informed of action by the Board.

Street Light.

It was stated that a street light is needed at the McFarlin School and the Recording Clerk was requested to place note in folder for same.

Need for street painting

List of white lines, traffic instructions, etc. to be painted on various streets received from the Police Chief and the list to be forwarded to the Street Supt. for execution.

Request that Pond Street be closed.

Mr. Frederick C. Field, of Park Road, was present regarding the closing of Pond Street near bathing beach, which is now a town by-law. Mr. Hart stated that he would try and obtain information as to the proper procedure on this matter so that the closing would be a legal one.

Request that plan of camping area be approved.

Atty. Wm. A. Kasilowski, Sun Bldg. Lowell, Mass. appeared before the Board relative to the need for the Selectmen's approval of a plan of lots of land in a camping area so that the plan could be recorded. It was stated that the land is owned by Mrs. Ethel Bellegarde. Mr. Hart stated he would like to receive advice of counsel before taking any action on this request. The plan was left with the Board.

Bldg. Permit denied.

Mr. Howard Lawson appeared before the Board and stated that he had been unable to receive a Building Permit due to lack of five sq. ft. of land and after hearing the facts of the case, the Board Members stated they would confer with the Bldg. Insp. to see what could be done to assist Mr. Lawson. Another applicant for a Building Permit appeared with Mr. Lawson but he was instructed to apply to the Appeal Board for a variance.

Brush Cutting on North Road.

Letter from the Dept. of Motor Vehicles regarding need for cutting down bushes on westerly side of North Road at Dalton Road to be acknowledged and instructions to be sent to the St. Supt.

Bd. of App. alternate appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint Eliot W. Remick as a Permanent Alternate of the Board of Appeals, Term to expire: 3/1957.

Bonds for Sub-Divisions

Various letters to Picken Insurance Co. re: Performance Bonds to be filed.

Indust.Dev.Bd. Appointments

Mr. George spoke briefly of the appointment of an Industrial Development Board and it was decided to later appoint three more to the Board and each Board Member was asked to bring in the name of one nominee.

Bd. to write letter of commendation to Plann.Bd.

Mr. Hart suggested that a letter be written to the Planning Board giving recognition and commendation for the work accomplished by the Planning Board during its project of re-zoning.

Street Regulations.

Mr. Harrington spoke later about the work of street acceptance rules and regulations and he stated he would arrange a meeting a little later to discuss final details, with the Planning Board.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, June 29, 1956.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Warrant signed.

Warrant #46, dated 6/29/56 was signed and approved.

Fire Chief appears before Board to answer various questions as to departmental policies.

Mr. Alan Kidder, Fire Chief, was present at the request of Mr. McAndrew as Mr. McAndrew desired to ask various questions of the Chief relating to the following-listed subjects:

1. Status of North Chelmsford Firehouse.
2. Fire Alarm System for new North Firehouse.
3. Fire Extinguishers on Town Property.
4. Basis of Appointments for Regular Firefighters.
5. Plans for Ladies' Rest Room at North Firehouse.

Mr. McAndrew at one point questioned the advisability of having an executive session but Mr. Hart and Mr. George did not favor such action. Mr. Kidder offered statements of explanation regarding each subject.

Pole Location Hearing.

A hearing for 2 Pole Locations on Northgate Road, C-7566, dated 5/29/56, at 8:00 PM. by the LEL. & NET& TC. signed by all members. No abutters were present.

B&M Wotton Rd Signal Contract Returned.

Contracts for installation of Signal Light & Gate at Wotton Road returned to the Board for initialing due to changes in date when work will be completed.

Performance Bond for St.

Mr. Harold Tucke, Sr. was present regarding obtaining of information for Street Performance Bond for Tucke Terrace. He was referred to the St. Supt.

Plans made to conduct St. Light Survey.

The Board Members decided to conduct a Street Light Survey on Thursday evening, July 5, 1956.

The following-listed Pole Location Petitions were signed by the Clerk of the Board. No hearings were required; only adoption by the Board.

1. Petition by the LEL & NET&T for 1 Joint Pole Re-location on Bridge St., C-7557, dated 5/16/56.
2. Petition by the LEL & NET&T for 1 Joint Pole Re-Location on Boston Road, C-7559, dated 5/18/56.
3. Petition of the LEL & NET&T. for 29 Joint Pole Locations, all formerly private ways, C-7576, dated 6/6/56, as follows:

Cove Street	1 Pole	Linden St.	2 Poles
Douglas Road	1 Pole	McFarlin Road	6 Poles
Edgelawn Ave	2 Poles	Moonbeam Ave.	6 Poles
Eclipse Ave.	2 Poles	Northgate Road	2 Poles
Joy Street.	2 Poles	Pearson St.	5 Poles

4. Petition of LEL. & NET&TC. for 23 Joint Pole Locations, all formerly private ways, C-7575, dated 6/6/56, as follows:

Greenacre Lane	2 Poles
Roberts Street	3 Poles
South Row St.	6 Poles
Susan Avenue.	3 Poles
Warren Avenue	9 Poles.

Petitions for Joint Pole Locations.

Bids for the purchase of office chairs for the Selectmen were opened and the information follows:

1. Smith & Howard — Net delivered price @ $38.00 per chair.
2. Regal Stationery — " " " " 36.90 per chair.

It was decided that the Recording Clerk should obtain further information before the award is made.

Bids opened for purchase of office chairs.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to approve the Plumbing Inspection Fees to be paid to the Inspector at the rate of $10.00 for major and $5.00 for minor inspections; the same amount of money to be received by thetown from the applicants.

Plumbing Inspection Fee Increase approved.

The Recording Clerk was requested to check with Atty. Paul Foisy regarding his letter relative to certain street accepted by Selectmen many years ago and the intentions of the Selectmen as to development of this street.

Recording Clerk to check w/Atty Foisy re: Street .

Notice of Hearing before Land Court read and further information tobe obtained from the Assessors.

Land Court Hearing Notice.

Letter from Joseph Ouellette re: curbing to be forwarded to the Street Supt.

St. Curbing Inquiry.

Reply to be sent to Mrs. Dorothe Holmes stating that her explanation of dog nuisance trouble be filed and that the Board does not feel it necessary for her to appear before them but if she desires to do so, she will be most welcome.

Dog Nuisance Letter to go on file.

Mr. Hart stated he had received calls regarding speeding on Linwood St. and Mr. George stated that he, too, had received calls, and Mr. Hart stated that the St. Supt. had been instructed to place suitable signs on the street.

Speeding on Linwood St.

Several Street light installation requests were placed on file.

St. Light Requests.

The Recording Clerk was requested to write to Atty. Foisy as to the liability of town in case of accidents, particularly during nighttime hours, on closed section of Pond Street, where road horses have been placed.

Liability of Town at Pond Street closed section.

Industrial Development Commission appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint the following-named persons as members of the Industrial Development Commission:

1. Thaddeus W. Zabierek, 3-year term; to expire 3/1959.(Served previously)
2. Leslie H. Adams, 2-year term; to expire 3/1958. " "
3. Carl A. E. Peterson, 1-year term; to expire 3/1957. " "
4. Raymond T. Osborn, 3-year term; to expire 3/1959. " "

*5. Arthur B. Worthley, Jr. 1-year term; to expire 3/1957.
**6. Claude J. Harvey, 2-year term; to expire 3/1958.
***7. William R. Kiernan, Jr., 3-year term; to expire 3/1959.

* Nomination by Mr. George; ** by Mr. Hart; *** by Mr. McAndrew.

Danger at Town Sand-bank cited.

Mr. McAndrew then spoke at length as to danger which exists at rear of Highway sandbank property and need for fence. Mr. Hart spoke of need of sloping present bank to improve safety conditions. Then on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously that fence be installed at head of bank and that Mr. McAndrew confer with the St. Supt. as to need for slopin the bank.

Disposition of misc. communications.

Miscellaneous communications were read as follows:
Letter re: brush removal on Boston Road from Mr. F.A.Woodhead to be sent to Street Supt.
ABC Hours for July 4th given to press and police dept.
Council for Aging bulletin taken by Welfare Chairman, Mr. George.
Letter & two books re: Highway Master Plan to be placed on file.
Mass. Sel. Assn. letter re: State wide Town Meeting Articles, to be filed.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

- Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, July 13, 1956. -

Members present.

Mr. Hart, chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew, were present.

Warrant approved.

Warrant #50, dated 7/13/56 for $4,796.43 signed and approved.

Minutes not read.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were not read.

Wine & Beer License granted.

A temporary wine & beer license was granted to Post 366, American Legion for 7/29/56 at a location off Riverneck Road, near Marshall Road. Fee: $0.50.

Conference regarding approval of land in camping area.

Mrs. Ethel Bellegarde appeared before the board relating to an area of land adjoining Heart Pond and she stated that she had been unable to sell the land as it appeared the area was being sub-divided and might need approval by the Planning Board. She stated that she had contacted various town officials in the past to determine the proper procedure but still nothing conclusive had taken place to allow her to sell. Mr. Charles D. Harrington advised her to contact the Planning Board Chairman as he might know the proper procedure now that the new zoning law had passed.

Conference regarding abandoning or maintaining st. accepted many years ago.

Mr. Ulysses J. Lupien was present and offered information relative to a street which is now undeveloped and which a prior Board of Selectmen had approved as a Public Way many years ago and Mr. Lupien desired to know the town's intention in the matter; that either the road should be installed and usable or it should be abandoned. Mr. Hart stated he would confer with the Town Counsel before a decision could be given.

Legality of approval of Bldg. By-Law questioned.

Harold J. Pearson and Ralph E. House were present to confer with the Selectmen as to the passage of Article 45 at the Annual Town Meeting and they questioned the legality of the vote to approve more than what the original article in the warrant specified. It appeared that Article 47 was dismissed and the subject matter was added to subject matter of Article 45. The Board decided that the matter should be investigated by the Town Counsel to determine the legality.

Mr. Henrick F. Johnson, Mr. Henrick R. Johnson and Mr. William J. Hennessy, appeared before the Board to discuss:

1. Status of Stedman St., Chap. 90 work.
   Mr. Hart stated that drainage work is planned with 1956 funds.
2. Status of Insurance Advistory Committee and the offering of their services on this committee in the future regarding all types of insurance. Mr. Hart stated that the Board would study the matter and make their recommendations. The gentlemen present requested a written reply.

Inquiry re: Chap. 90 Stedman St.

Inquiry re: status of Insurance Advisory Committee.

At 8:45 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened for the addition to the Center Town Hall. They follow:

1.	Thomas W. Sugden, North Chelmsford.	$6,300.00	(Cert.ck.$1,000. w/bid.)
2.	Mohawk Const. Co., Watertown, Mass.	6,300.00	(Performance Bond" ")
3.	Brelno Const. Co. Roxbury, Mass.	5,673.00	(Cert.Ck.$1,000. " ")

Several persons from the interested firms were present to watch the opening of the bids. The Selectmen took the matter under advisement and decided to meet with the Architect on Monday evening, July 16, 1956 at 8:00 P.M.

Sealed Bids for addition to Police Dept. Office.

A petition for the Abandonment of 4 Pole Locations on Billerica Road, C-7599, dated 7/6/56 by the LEL Corp. signed and adopted by the Board Members. No hearing was required.

Pole Location abandonments.

The letter of resignation of the Town Accountant and the Recording Clerk of the Board of Selectmen was read and after each member of the board had expressed his regret at the coming change, a motion was made by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew and voted unanimously to accept the resignation with deep regret and that a page of the Selectmen's records be set aside to commend Mr. Alfred H. Coburn for his service to the Selectmen and the town of Chelmsford.

Resignation of Town Accountant and Recording Clerk of Board of Selectmen.

It was then decided to hold interviews for the applicants for the position of Town Accountant and Recording Clerk of the Board of Selectmen on Thursday evening, July 19, 1956, commencing at 8:15 P.M.

Interviews to be arranted for vacant positions.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted to purchase 10 office chairs from Smith & Howard Co. and later on July 19, 1956, this action was rescinded and voted that the low bidder, Regal Stationery Co. be given the award at the price of $36.90 each.

Purchase of office chairs.

It was decided to notify the Street Supt. that curbing at the Unitarian Church should be installed immediately per request of the church building committee thru Edward B. Russell.

Curbing for Unitarian Church.

It was decided that a joint meeting should be held in the near future with the members of the Civil Defense Committee.

Joint meeting with Civil Def. Comm. proposed.

The Selectmen approved the employee's request for time off for an Outing on July 23, 1956.

Employees Outing appvd.

Settlement notice of funds reimbursed to the town for Hurricanes Carol and Edna read and statement to go on file.

Hurricane statement of reimbursements

Regarding various repairs at the North Town Hall it was decided that Mr. Sugden should be requested to install partition in basement as suggested by State Bldg. Inspector and that Mr. Larocque should obtain price quotations to repair tapes and cords of blinds.

Repairs at NTHall.

Mr. George then spoke at length of the coming Billerica Road project and the need to have the work commence immediately. He stated that the Board should

Vote to instruct County Commissioners to proceed with Billerica Rd. repairs.

inform the County Commissioners that the work should commence per present plans on file. Mr. McAndrew was opposed to the present plan and stated he thought there would be an additional hearing to present alternate measures. After a long discussion, on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted by the majority to request the County to take action on the road per plans on file for straightening Billerica Road and for relocation of Turnpike Road. Mr. McAndrew voted in opposition.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, July 24, 1956.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Award of the Contract for Addition to Police Office at CTHall

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for the addition to the Police Office at the Center Town Hall to the Brelno Construction Corp. in the amount of $5,673.00 per sealed bid dated 7/13/56 and receipt of Certified check #282 in the amount of $1,000.00.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, August 1, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Warrant Approved.

Warrant #53, dated 7/31/56 for $20,990.26 signed and approved.

Minutes not read.

The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were not read.

License granted.

A Sunday License was granted to Ronald A. Pick, d/b/a Ronnie's Texaco, 8 Littleton Road, Chelmsford. Fee: $4.00.

Delay re: drainage problem

Reply from the B&M RR Co. regarding drainage problem at Wotton Road read and Mr. McAndrew suggested that letters be sent to the company engineer and assistant to delay further investigation by the company as more information will be forthcoming from Mr. McAndrew.

Traffic control request on Billerica Rd.

Petition for traffic control and signs on Billerica Road read and it was decided to forward request to the Police Chief for his recommendations.

Claim against Town referred to Counsel.

Letter from Atty. Eldred L. Field regarding a claim by Chester Whitney against the Town read and it was decided to forward this letter with background information to the Town Counsel for his advice.

Disposition of various communications

Two communications from the Council for Aging forwarded to Welfare Agent.

Civil Defense News bulletin to be forwarded to Civil Defense Committee.

Request for new revised Liquor Lic. Form.

Mr. Robert Feehan appeared before the Board relative to obtaining new license form with new description of premises of Dean's Food, Inc., as new building has been erected since the fire. Also he requested that the name of Glenview be permitted to appear on these forms. The Recording Clerk was requested to obtain proper information as to procedure for a request of this type.

Billerica Rd relocation.

Two letters from the Middlesex County Commissioners as follows:
1. Regarding costs for moving Myrick House on Billerica Road
2. Regarding date and place of entry on land to be seized on Billerica Road. Both letters taken by Mr. George for investigation.

Commendation to the Town Accountant & Recording Clerk of the Board of Selectmen.

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A COMMENDATION TO

ALFRED H. COBURN

For the nine years of Service to the TOWN OF CHELMSFORD and

THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

AS

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

AND

RECORDING CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

This service is gratefully acknowledged at a regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen on July 13, 1956 at which time a letter of resignation was received and accepted with deep regret.

Per order of the
Board of Selectmen
duly recorded on
Page 43, Paragraph 4.

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Procedure re: closing of road to be checked.

All information pertaining to old town road near Lunien Property to be forwarded to Town Counsel for advice as to abandonment or preparation of accepted way for future travel.

Smoke nuisance at North Dump discussed.

Frederick H. Greenwood, St. Supt., and Edward L. Tyler, Jr., present at Board's request to discuss smoke nuisance at North Town Dump. After a long discussion, it was decided not to burn the last load coming to dump each day but to delay the burning until the following day and if that did not alleviate the condition, it was decided to have someone there to control the nuisance.

Inquiry re: fence at dynamite storage plant.

Mr. Edward Baron was present to inquire what moves had been made to install the fence around location of dynamite storage at Chestnut Hill. Mr. Hart stated that he would confer with the Town Counsel to see what should be done.

Ltr: re: legality of passage of Bldg. Law.

Legal opinion from Atty. Foisy regarding legality of passage of a town building law read and will go on file.

Pamphlet, "Commerce Briefs" to be placed on file.

Complaint re: firing at target practice on Sundays.

Letter from Mr. Peter Dirubbo complaining about firing at the Lowell Sportsmens' Club property at North Chelmsford on Sundays to be referred to the Police Chief for his investigation as to permission for such activity on Sundays.

Inquiry re: sidewalk request.

Letter from Rep. Edith N. Rogers inquiring about sidewalk request by Mrs. John S. Toms, several years ago, read and the Board instructed the Recording Clerk to inform Mrs. Rogers that the matter is under advisement.

Claim for loss of poultry.

Letter re: Claim against the Town from the Employers' Group Insurance Co., for destruction of Poultry at Lunien Farm read and to be referred to theTown Counsel for his advice.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

New name & new license form for Dean's Food, Inc.

On August 3, 1956, a new Common Victualer License Form was prepared for Dean's Food, Inc., d/b/a Glenview, by Robert E. Feehan, President, Treasurer & Manager, and description on same was altered from previously issued license form as the building was destroyed by fire and new building was different from previously described building. No fee.

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, August 3, 1956
at 2:30 P.M.

Acting Town Clerk, Town Treasurer and Town Tax Collector appointed.

Mr. Hart, chairman,&Mr. McAndrew were present. Mr. George was unable to attend as he was out of town.

Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf was present.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted by the majority members present to appoint Charlotte P. DeWolf as Acting Town Clerk.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted by the majority members present to appoint Charlotte P. DeWolf as Acting Town Treasurer.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted by the majority members present to appoint Charlotte P. DeWolf as Acting Town Tax Collector.

All appointments made to fill the unexpired term of Harold C. Petterson who died on August 3, 1956. Term expires: March 1957.

Board of Selectmen
by aHCoburn
Recording Clerk

- Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen -
- August 15, 1956 -

Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present at the beginning of the meeting at 7:30 P.M. and Mr. Hart arrived at about 8:00PM.

Members present.

Warrant #57, dated $45,105.27 signed and approved.

Warrant Approved.

The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were not read.

Minutes not read.

Mr. Philias Ducharme appeared and asked that sidewalk repair work be done along Chelmsford St. between his home & Wilson St. It was decided to refer this matter to the St. Supt.

Sidewalk repairs requested.

Application for transfer of license to peddle for Constantine S. Bentas, 172 Concord Road, Chelmsford.

Application to Peddle.

A temporary Wine & Beer License for the Chelmsford Auxiliary Policy Band for 8/26/56 at Gun Club Headqtrs.signed. Fee:$0.50

Wine & Beer Lic. Granted

Warrants for State Primary to be forwarded to the Town Counsel.

State Primar Warrant.

Applications for position for Accountant from Jane R. Middleton and Albert V. Wainwright read and to go on file.

Accountant Applications

Atty. Thomas Gill was present re: notice received from the ABC stating that the North Chelmsford Wine & Liquor Co. had dissolved. Atty. Gill asked the Selectmen to table the matter until more information is available.

Liq. Corp. dissolves.

Contracts for the CTHall addition signed & to be returned to the Town Counsel.

Contracts for CTH addition.

Joseph Lukas and Edward Baron present regarding the storage of dynamite and explosives at Chestnut Hill. After a long discussion, Mr. Hart suggested that a letter be sent to the Town Counsel asking whether the Selectmen can limit the amount of storage for the second magazine, per information in the letter of decision from the Board of Appeals.

Discussion re Storage of Explosives

Richard McDermott and John W. McNally, members of the Finance Committee present together with Fire Chief Allan Kidder re: need for funds to repair the East Fire Truck. It was generally decided that it would be unwise to repair such old equipment and an effort will be made to hire additional equipment and later at a special town meeting an effort will be made to purchase new equipment. Chief Kidder did offer information as to the amount of new equipment needed.

Fire Dept. new Equipment discussed.

Building Inspector Ralph R. Cole was present to inquire what should be done about request to him for permission to operate a Funeral Home at Bell residence on North Road. He said that the new by-law requires adequate off-street parking. The Selectmen stated that the Bldg. Insp. must decide this matter.

Bldg.Insp. seeks advice re: Funeral Home use.

State DPW to be requested advice on speed limit signs.

The Selectmen requested the Clerk to dispatch a request to Atty. P. Harold Ready for an opinion asto the legality of an application before the Board of Appeals for fifty-five house lot variances.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew it was voted unanimously to establish a thirty-mile-per-hour spped limit on Billerica Road and that a copy of this vote be sent to the DPW Traffic Division so that the action will be legal.

Legal Opinion to be req. re: Bd.ofAp. Hearing.

Dr. John Barry appeared before the Board asking that s "No thru Trucking" sign be placed on Parkhurst Road. Mr. McAndrew was asked to check the proper procedure on such a request to make the action by the Board a legal move.

No Thru Trucking signs req. for Parkhurst Rd.

Then a long discussion followed regarding the use of excess fill by the Highway Dept. and the Board decided that the St. Supt. should be informed of a previous regulation of the Board stating that all excess fill shall be placed on town-owned land and that the St. Supt. should observe this ruling at all times.

St. Supt. to be informed as to use of all excess fill.

Then the Board Members talked about the feasibility of having a Public Works Dept. for the Town and Mr. George suggested that a committee be appointed at a coming Special Town Meeting to study the merits of theplan.

Selectmen discuss merits of Publicwks. Dept.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

- Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen -
August 31, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Request for transfer of liq. lic. from Indiv. to Corp.

Atty. Joseph C. McInerney, Atty. for Robert F. Connolly, appeared before the Board to discuss his client's request for a transfer of the business of an individual to that of a corporation. He was informed that an advertisement had appeared in the Newsweekly a day prior to the meeting night and that the Selectmen would probably take action on the request at their next meeting. Atty. McInerney stated that Mr. Connolly planned to retire and that the business might be sold. Later Atty. McInerney introducted the prospective purchaser, Mike Zawinski and the Board asked Mr. Zawinski several questions as to previous work, etc.

Date for next meeting

It was decided to hold the next meeting on Sept. 14th, 1956.

Inquiry from Ind. Dev. Committee.

Thaddeus W. Zabierek appeared to ask that the Industrial Development Commission be permitted to use offices upstairs for their meetings. The request was granted.

Applicants for Used Car Licenses.

On applications for various Used Car Licenses for:
1. Warren N. Henderson & Valentine Polezarezyk: Class III, on Canal St.,East Chelmsford denied as location is residential .
2. Fred J. Bamford, Class II, Littleton Road, tabled.

Applicants file for Peddler's Licenses.

Applications to Peddle were signed for:
1. George S. Yates, B St.
2. Donald R. DeCarteret, 8 Richardson Road.

No fees.

Letter from the Police Chief requesting signs to slow down vehicle traffic on Linwood St. to be forwarded to the St. Supt. for immediate action.

St. Signs for Linwood St.

Contract for Chapter 90 Maint. read & to go to Accountant for required Journal & Ledger entries.

Chap. 90 Maint. contract

Several Street Light requests received and to be added to the list for future action.

St. Light requests.

At 8:15 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the application of Roger Welch for storage of gasoline from 1500 gallons to 6500 gallons. The application address was for Groton & Dunstable Rds. Mr. Welch was present but no abutters appeared at the hearing. The return receipts from persons notified were presented to the Board by the applicant. Then on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew it was voted to grant the license. Fee: $5.00; Adv. Costs: $5.50

Gasoline Storage Petition and Hearing.

Boiler reports for School Buildings received and to be forwarded to the School Supt. for examination by him.

Boiler Inspection Reports.

It was decided to meet with the Police Chief and representatives of the State DPW, Traffic Division, at the next meeting regarding speed limits for Billerica Road.

State DPW Rep. to meet with Selectmen.

The Board requested that the Town Counsel:

Be requested to furnish advice as to the legality of refunding the Bid Bond Deposit to the Brelno Co. now that the Performance Bond is on file.

Be informed of the letter received from Atty. Kiernan regarding accident involving town sweeper with client of Atty. Kiernan.

Inquiry re: return of Bid Bond Deposit.

Accident notice sent to Counsel.

The Board requested the Recording Clerk to acknowledge receipt of the tree booklets received from the Fred L. Tower Co., publishers of Massachusetts Manuals.

Municipal Manuals to be acknowdg.

The following hearings were held for Pole Locations:

1. At 8:30 P.M. for 1 Pole Location and 1 Pole Location abandonment on Old Middlesex Turnpike, C-7627, dated 8/10/56 by LEL Corp. & NET&TC. No abutters were present. Petition was signed by all members of the Board.
2. At 8:45 P.M. for 1 Pole Location on Tobin Avenue, C-7611, dated 7/25/56 by LEL Corp. & NET&TC. Mr. Philip Forest and Mr. Tobin were present. There were no objections. The petition was then signed by each member.

Hearings for Pole Locations.

Notice of Incorporation of the Woodbury-Nokes Foundation with Alfred G. & Natalie A. Lepera as incorporators read and certificate of character signed by the members.

Character reports signed for new Corp.

Then Clifford Hartley and Vernon Fletcher appeared before the Board to inform the Selectmen that the High School Building Committee were prepared to place their requests before the voters at a Special Town Meeting andthey requested that the meeting be held about October 15th, 1956.

High School Bldg. Committee requests

Spec. Tn. Meeting.

In the presence of the Acting Town Clerk, the following-named persons were drawn as jurors:

Jurors Drawn.

1. By Mr. Hart, (for Civil Session) Harold Hollingsworth.
2. By Mr. George,(for Superior ") Neil A. Mooers.
3. By Mr. McAndrew) " Civil ") Geo. S. Wright, Jr.

Abatement of Departmental bills.

Then a discussion followed as to the collection and/or abatement of three types of bills owed the town from:

1.	Valmar Gladu, for Sunday License Fee:	$2.00
2.	George Hawes, for Sunday License Fee:	4.00
3.	James Simpson, for Rent of House:	144.00

It was finally decided to have the Acting Town Clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, to inquire from Mr. Simpson about collection of rent due and then report back to the Selectmen at a later meeting, and then on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted to abate the Hawes and Gladu bills.

Town Counsel to be reqtd. to obtain signatures for easements.

It was decided that the Town Counsel should make attempt to obtain signatures for easements for drainage installations on Westford St and Perham St. and that he be informed of this request.

Discussion re: Mosquito spraying.

Then a discussion followed relative to the merits of providing funds for the project of spraying low-lands for control of the widely-spread sleeping sickness threat. Mr. Hart reported that he had received information that such a spraying project would do little good to eliminate the threat at this time of year. He stated that his information had come from a representative of the State Dept. of Public Health Service.

Board of Selectmen
by Carl C.
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting Board of Selectmen Sept. 14, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Public Hearing to be held re: High School land.

Twenty-Nine notices of a Public Hearing for Land Takings off North and Old Westford Roads for school purposes signed by the members. Said hearing scheduled for Sept. 27th at 8:00 P.M.

The Selectmen decided to:

Light Survey of Chelmsford St. to be made.

Have letter sent to the LEL Corp. for survey of Chelmsford St. light facilities and for recommendations to improve same as recent pedestrian fatalaties appear to warrant changes.

Request the Police Chief to offer speed recommendations for Chelmsford St. and advice as to present location of a neon sign at gas station at Glen Avenue and whether this sign interfers with visibility, etc.

Speed Limit survey for Chelmsford St. to be requested.

Request the State DPW Traffic Division for a survey of speed limits for Chelmsford St. from City Line to Fletcher St. This last request wasmade in the form of a motion by Mr. George and seconded by Mr. McAndrew. This vote was unanimous.

Traffic safety recommendations for Bradford Rd.

It was also decided to have the Police Chief make suitable recommendations for speed limit signs and caution signs at Bradford Rd. and Main St., per requests made in form of petitions presented to the Selectmen by residents of the area.

Mr. George spoke of the delaying the Billerica Rd. Chapter 90 project unitl early 1957. It was decided to have Mr. George check with the County Commissioners regarding the availability of funds already provided for use in the future.

Chapt. 90 Billerica Rd. work to be delayed.

It was decided to meet with the Police Chief at the next meeting on Oct. 1st to discuss various matters, such as recent requests for traffic controls. Also it was suggested that he prepare his recommendations for precautionary measures for Golden Cove Road.

Traffic safety recommendations for Golden Cove Rd.

At Hearing was held at 8:00 P.M. for the locations of 2 Poles on Hornbeam Hill Road, C-7633, dated 8/15/56 by the LEL Corp. & NET&T. Harold E. Clayton, Jr. was present. There were no objections andthepetition was signed.

Pole Location Hearing.

Mr. Henry G. Demers & Mr. Allan L. Smith were present regarding requirements as to drainage, etc. for a new subdivision for Old Westford & Davis Roads. Plans were left with the Board and the matter will be placed with the St. Supt. for his study.

Subdivision request re: drainage submitted.

Messrs. Wm. J. Murphy and Rudolph Caputo, representatives from the Dept. of Public Works, Traffic Division, were present to discuss the placing of speed limit signs on Billerica Rd. It was stated that to be legal and to obtain State approval, a survey must be made at the town's expense and then the approved-type of signs must be installed. It was finally decided to take the matter up with thePolice Chief on Oct. 1st. before making any definite decision.

Conference with DPW Traffic Representatives for Billerica Rd. spped limits.

Mr. & Mrs. Grantly Sagris, of St. Nicholas Ave., were present to inform the Selectmen that they were interested in purchasing lot ofland on St. Nicholas Ave., next to their own property, which is now owned by the town. It was decided to obtain advice on this subject from the Town Counsel as to procedure, etc.

Persons interested in purchasing town owned land.

The written resignation of Anna St. Germain as an Election Officer, Inspector, for Precinct 1 was accepted.

Then on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted to appoint M. Lorraine Simard as an Inspector for Precinct 1. This vote was unanimous.

Election Officer resigns and replacement appointed.

It was decided that certain Selectmen's Departmental bills totaling $150.00 be abated and that the Accountant and Collector be so informed, per advice from State Auditors.

Selectmen's Departmental bills abated.

ABC press notices for liquor sales on State Primary Day, Sept. 18, 1956 and Columbus Day, Oct. 12th, read & approved.

ABC notices for Holiday and Primary.

The Selectmen then met with and interviewed Mr. Paul M. O'Dowd, 55 O'Brien Terrace, Lowell. for the position of Town Accountant.

Interview for position of Town Acct.

DPU Hearing for Western Union read & to go on file.

DPU Hearing

Notice from the State Civil Service Office that Anthony Ferreira was not qualified to continue beyond expiriration of present term as Sealer, due to results of examination, read and to go on file.

Sealer did not pass Civil Service Exam.

"No Thru Trkg." Signs on Parkhurst Road.

It was decided to request advice from the Police Chief as to whether "No Thru Trucking" signs could be legally placed on Parkhurst Road.

Town Accountant appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint Lewis I. Hilton to the position of Town Accountant, to fill the unexpired term of Alfred H. Coburn, who recently resigned. Term to expire: 3/1957.

Liquor License. Transferred from Indv. to Corp.

A Common Victualer License transfer from Robert F. & Alice K. Connolly, d/b/a Meadow Grille to Chelmsford Meadow Grille, Inc., by Robert F. Connolly, Treas. Director & Manager, signed and approved. Fee: None; Adv. Costs: $5.75.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
September 27, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Town Counsel present.

Town Counsel, John H. Valentine, was also present.

Hearing advertised and reg. mail notices sent to each property owner.

The meeting was in the form of a Public Hearing which had been advertised at least seven days in advance in the Chelmsford Newsweekly and the Lowell Sun, County Section, and also all owners of land in the Old Westford Road and North Road sections had been notified in advance by registered mail, return receipts received, as required by the General Laws of Mass., and which dealt with the taking of properties for school purposes, some properties of which have been and are classified as Farming areas.

The hearing was held in the upper Center Town Hall and the hearing commenced at about 8:00 P.M.

Number present and place of hearing.

At the beginning of the hearing there were about seventeen persons present, including two press reporters, and later several more persons arrived.

Presiding Officer.

Mr. Hart presided and he first read the notice which had appeared in the newspapers and copies of which had been sent to all property owners of record and the content of which follows:

Notice of hearing read.

"We, the undersigned, hereby give notice of a proposed taking of certain land in Chelmsford, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, by eminent domain proceedings, for use as a site for the erection of a school for the Town of Chelmsford. Said land is situated on the southwesterly side of North Road and the southeasterly side of Old Westford Road, and containing approximately 41.86 acres, and is shown on a plan entitled "Proposed High School Lot, Chelmsford, Mass. Surveyed 1956, Brooks, Jordan & Graves, C.E.'s", which plan is available at the office of the Board ofSelectmen for a more particular description.

"Under the provisions of Mass. General Laws, Chapter 79, Section 5B, notice is hereby given that the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Chelmsford will hold a hearing on September 27, 1956, at 8:00 P.M. in the Town Hall in Chelmsford, at which the owners of said land shall be entitled to be heard and allowed to introduce evidence that other land not used for agricultural purposes is available for use as a site for the erection of a school for the Town of Chelmsford.

(Signed) Daniel J. Hart,
(Signed) Edgar P. George
(Signed) Robert F. McAndrew
Board of Selectmen of the
Town of Chelmsford."

Notice of hearing read.

Then Mr. Hart invited those present to speak and offer information to the Board as to other land in Chelmsford which is available for school purposes. Also at this time he requested each speaker to give his name.

Invitation to speak.

Mr. Nicholas Zaher, 1 Groton Rd, Westford, Mass. spoke first and he stated that he had done considerable research on this subject and he now desired to know the number of acres that would be necessary and required to build a school of this type and that, as yet, he had received no answers to this question. He then placed the question before the Chairman.

Owner of land makes inquiries as to size of lot.

At this point Atty. Valentine referred the speaker to the Chairman of the School Committee and Building Committee.

Inquiry referred to School Bldg. Committee.

Then Mr. Vernon Fletcher spoke and stated that all these facts were explained at the town meeting at which time the subject was discussed.

Bldg. Comm. member speaks

Mr. Zaher stated that the question was being evaded, that no number of acres had been given and he would like to know.

Atty. Valentine then suggested that the speaker keep to the subject at hand and he referred to that part of the announcement which dealt with the introduction of other lands available for use as a site for school purposes.

Reminder by counsel to keep to subject at hand.

Mr. Zaher then stated that he still was unable to receive any concrete information andhe did not know whether lots containing 20, 25, 30 acres are needed and it was difficult to know what number of acres should be in the parcels of land to be introduced this evening.

Mr. Hart suggested that the speaker give information of lots suitable for a school of this size.

Then Mr. Zaher offered information pertaining to various lots which he thought might be suitable. The descriptions follow:

Owner presents list of parcels of land available for school purposes.

1. Block #12, Lot #1. 29 Acres.
   Owned by Mr. Arthur Englund.
   Bordering: Graniteville Rd, Old Westford Rd., Crooked Spring Road and Richardson Road.
2. Block #12, Lot #2, 29 Acres.
   Owned by Mrs. Esther P. Snow
   Bordering Old Westford Rd & Graniteville Rd.

3. Block #11, Lot #6, 13.86 Acres.
Owned by William Fulton & Constance A. Cooley.
Bordering on Richardson Road.
4. Block #11, Lot #5, 48.68 Acres.
Owned by Michael A. Barry.
Frontage on Richardson Road.
5. Block #12, Lot 204, 39.7 Acres.
Owned by Mrs. Esther P. Snow.
Bordering Graniteville Rd, Richardson Rd, and Crooked Spring Road.
6. Block #12, Lot #217, 29.30 Acres.
Owned by Angeline Lemay.
(Reference made that area good land, level and water nearby.) (Believed to be on or near Old Westford Rd.)
7. Block #12, Lot #227, (Borders Lot #217) 51.54 Acres.
Owned by Helen W. Roberts.
On Old Westford Road.

Parcels of land suggested by Mr. Nicholas Zaher.

8. Block #12, Lot #223, (Bordering lots #217 and #227) 24.60 Acres.
Owned by John & Irene Korsak
Graniteville Rd. & Old Westford Road.
(Reference also made that there are other lots bordering this land containing approx. 6 to 10 acres.)
(Also statement made that last three items; #6, #7, & #8, total over 100 acres, all adjoin.)
9. Block #43, Lot #12, 50.20 Acres.
Owned by Benjamin D. Lambert.
On Graniteville Road.
10. Block #43, Lot #23, 32.4 Acres.
Owned by Dorothy S. Kelley.
(Reference made that there is a right-of-way to lot from Graniteville Road.)
11. Block #43, Lot #77, 36 Acres.
Owned by Geo. S., Jr. & Phyllis A. Lovett.
Main Street, West Chelmsford.
12. Block #12, Lot 7, 47.35 Acres.
Owned by Esther P. & Perry T. Snow.
Graniteville Road to Crooked Spring Road.
13. Block #12, Lot 3, 34.78 Acres.
Owned by Armand O. LeHaise.
Bordering on Graniteville Road.
14. Block #12, Lot #4, 32.65 Acres.
Owned by Andrew Blaisdell, and bordering land of Armand O. LeHaise.
Land bordering on Old Westford Road.
15. Block #12, Lot #2, 39 Acres.
Owned by Esther P. Snow.
Graniteville Road and Old Westford Road.

Mr. Zaher stated then that it had taken him about one hour to obtain the list of lots submitted and he stated he felt he could obtain three times as many if he worked longer on the project.

Parcel of land suggested by Miss Margaret Zaher.

Then Miss Margaret Zaher spoke and she introduced the parcel of land described as follows:

1. Land at North Road and Old Westford Road, at intersection, near signal lights.
Owned by Mrs. Woodward, Warren St., Lowell, Mass.

Then Mr. George Zaher spoke and called attention to the following parcels of land:

1. The area formerly used as a Town Farm at Billerica Rd. and Golden Cove Road.

2. The land owned by Howard Thayer on Turnpike Road,

Land suggested by Geo. Zaher

Then Miss Margaret Zaher mentioned the:

1. Gilbert Perham land on Locke Road.

by Miss Margaret Zaher.

Then Lewis Zaher described land as follows:

1. Land bordering North Road from Drum Hill to the Middlesex County Training School to the Cogger Sandbank to Old Westford Road. (Reference was made that this area is idle and woodland.)

by Mr. Lewis Zaher.

Then Edward Baron called attention to land described as follows:

1. The land near and bordering Chestnut Hill near an Explosive Plant. This land contains some 200 acres.

by Mr. Edward Baron.

Then Mr. George Zaher mentioned land:

1. Land on Littleton Road, beyond the Emerson Property which has been for sale and known as McCormack Property.

by Mr. George Zaher.

Nicholas Zaher, at this point, called the Board's attention to the land where the present High School is situated. He stated that there were 30 acres available and it would be better to have all the schools together.

by Mr. Nicholas Zaher.

Margaret Zaher added that she understood that the High School in the Center was built in a way that future additions could be made.

Then Mr. W. M. Foster inquired in behalf of Gladys Foster as to what the town would pay for the land, that they had owned land in the area for many years and it is agreeable to us to now sell.

Mr. Foster inquires to price for payment of land.

Mr. Hart stated that the present discussion was not for establishing prices for purchase of land, but for the introduction of information relative to other suitable sites for a school.

Chairman states prices not to be considered at this time.

Then Mr. Fred Corfield asked if the town continued to own the land on Turnpike Road near Mill Road.

The Clerk, A. H. Coburn, informed the speaker that the town no longer owns the land.

Land suggested by Fred Corfield.

Then Nicholas Zaher inquired about:

Land owned by John Brady, near Route 3 and which is now idle and not in use. Land area estimated to be 30 Acres.

Land suggested by John Brady.

George Zaher was the next speaker and he mentioned land

Land suggested by George Zaher.

in the rear of Chelmsford Street, where the new Route 110 will pass which is now an open field. It was later determined that the area was the Golden Cove Racetrack property at the foot of Manahan Street.

Inquiry re: size of area.

Miss Margaret Zaher then inquired as to why the area had to be 25 acres.

Mr. Hart stated that he could not attempt to answer that question at the present time.

Inquiry re: notices to owners later.

Mr. Nicholas Zaher then inquired if they would be notified as to any conclusions which might be reached after this hearing.

Town Counsel affirms that notices will be sent.

Judge Valentine replied for the Chairman in the affirmative that they would be notified.

Hearing closes.

Then Mr. Hart closed the hearing. It was then 8:30 P.M. During the hearing and preceding it, a plan of the land to be taken was available for interested persons to see.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 1, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Conference with Police Chief.

Ralph J. Hulslander, Police Chief, was present to discuss various matters pertaining to speed limit regulations, safety signs and and no-thru-trucking signs for Parkhurst Road, Main St. and Bradford Road. Final action was taken on these subjects on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George and voted unanimously. Then the Chief notified the Selectmen of the resignation of Special Police Officer, Edward Geers, effective 10/5/56. It was also decided to permit payment of cost of repairs to uniform of a Special Officer.

Conference with Architect for CTH addition.

Then Ernest Burton, architect for new addition at Town Hall, conferred with the Board regarding installation of a separate thermostat control for the Police Dept. at cost estimated to be $300.00. It was decided to taken this matter under advisement.

Inquiry re: status of Explosive Storage Plant investigation.

Then Joseph Lukas and Edward Baron talked with the Board and requested that a sign reading "Danger: Explosive Trucks Entering" be placed near storage plant road and Tadmuck Road to warn the school bus drivers. They then inquired what action might have been taken on their previous request for action on further safety precautions for the explosive plant area and Mr. Daniel Hart informed them that the Town Counsel was back on duty after his recent illness and would now be able to re-study the matter. Mr. Lukas, in closing, cited various violations which he believed were now prevailing at the storage area.

Request for drainage improvements.

Mr. Frederick J. Sieber was present and asked that work be done on a section of Sheppard Lane where there are drainage problems and he also asked that the road be plowed in the winter. Later these matters were mentioned to the St. Supt. when he met with the Board.

Request for closing of Street.

Then Mr. Thomas E. Firth, Jr. appeared and presented the Board with a signed petition for the abandonment and/or closing of Marshall Ave., East Chelmsford and the request that the unused and wooded section, originally planned for a right-ofway be apportioned to the abutters for their ownership and use. Mr. Hard stated that the Board would inquire from the Town Counsel the proper procedure to be followed in a case of this kind. Mr. Firth displayed a plan of the street and surrounding lots.

Sealed Bids for sidewalk installation.

At 8:30 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened in the presence of several persons for the installation of 800 lineal feet of hot-top sidewalk along Dalton Rd. from Stedman St. to Sunset Ave. The list of bids follow:

1. Opened by Mr. Hart: James Walsh Sons $922.50
2. Opened by Mr. George: Liberty Contractors 1,360.00
3. Opened by Mr. McAndrew: Wm. E. Belleville $799.20.
4. Opened by Mr. Hart: Geo. Brox: $1,112.50.

Vote by Selectmen to award sidewalk installation contract.

At this time the bids were taken under advisement. Later in the evening, the Selectmen discussed the subject again and on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew it was voted by the majority to award the contract to James Walsh Sons for $922.50. Mr. Hart opposed this action, as he felt the contract should go to the lowest bidder in this case.

Invitation to Suasco Assn. mtg.

Then Thaddeus W. Zabierek appeared before the Board and stated he had been requested by the Suasco Assn. to invite the Selectmen to a meeting of the Assn. on Oct. 18th. Mr. George stated he would try to attend.

Request to use upstairs conference room.

Also Mr. Zabierek asked permission to use the extra conference room in the upstairs Center Town Hall by the Industrial Development Commission. This permission was granted.

Inquiries re: resurfacing of South Row St.

Mr. Robert Seibert and Mr. Leo Nowack, both residents of South Row St. appeared before the Selectmen to inform the members of the need for surface work on South Row St. They also called attention to washouts, etc. Later in the evening when the Selectmen met with the St. Supt. the matter was mentioned and the St. Supt stated he would re-surface the street soon.

Decision to request that Billerica Rd. project commence immediately.

After some discussion on the merits of proceeding or waiting until 1957 to commence with the Billerica Rd. reconstruction project, on a motion by Mr. George, with Mr. Hart seconding the motion, it was voted by the majority to write to the County Commissioners requesting that the work commence immediately as there was no certainty that the funds would be available in 1957. Mr. McAndrew opposed this action.

Request that inquiry be made re: zoning for keeping of swine in residential area.

Messrs. Felix Hirsch, Frank Lambert, Sven Carlson, Walter Russell and Mrs. Jessie S. Santamour appeared before the Selectmen regarding conditions which exist at 308 Billerica Road at property of Mr. Randall, the principal complaint being the sanitary and health conditions due to number of swine being kept on small parcel of land. Mr. Hirsch was the spokesman and read from various letters and actions which had been taken in the past by the Board of Health. The group now questioned the legality of keeping swine under the new zoning law requirements. Mr. Hart informed the Board that the Selectmen would request an opinion on the matter from the Town Counsel.

Building Inspector confers with Selectmen re: Pre-fab building permits etc.

Ralph R. Cole appeared beforethe Board regarding:

1. Charging of fees for small building-code books. The decision was not to make any charge.
2. The issuance of building permits for the erection of certain types of prefabricated houses and after some discussion it was voted unanimously, after a motion was made by Mr. McAndrew, and seconded by Mr. George, to allow a period of six months to elapse for a time to study the matter.
3. The merits of issuing building permits to the Stratford Builders. On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted that the issuance of permits to this firm be delayed for a thirty-day period while the matter goes to the Town Counsel

Highway Dept. matters discussed with St. Supt.

Then Frederick R. Greenwood met with the Selectmen and discussed various Highway Dept. subjects.

Sidewalk requested for Academy St.

Later in the evening it was decided that the St. Supt. should obtain bids for sidewalk installation at the Central Baptist Church parsonage on Academy St.

Board rules that 1-hr. parking be enforced in Central Sq.

Later on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously that 1-hour-parking regulation for Central Sq. should be enforced by the Police Dept. and that suitable signs giving notice to the public should be installed.

Invitation to installation.

Invitation to American Legion Post 313 Joint Installation received and Mr. McAndrew stated he would plan to attend and possibly Mr. Hart may go. Letter of acknowledgement to be sent.

Invitation to BC - BS mtg.

Dinner meeting invitation to Mr. Hart from the Blue Cross - Blue Shield received and an acknowledgement to be sent stating that the Chairman will be pleased to attend.

Letter re: stones in road

Letter from Edmund Gunther asking that large stone on Grandview Road be removed to be referred to the St. Supt.

Election Officer apptd.

To fill vacancy amount West Chelmsford, Prec. 4, Election Officers, Mrs. Gloria M. Patenaude, 199 Main St., was appointed as Inspector.

Bids to be requested soonfor sale of town land.

It was decided to call for bids for sale of land on St. Nicholas Avenue in the near future.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
Oct. 10, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Plans to hold Special Town Meeting.

The Board voted to hold a Special Town Meeting on Oct. 22nd 1956, primarily at the request of the School Building Needs Committee for consideration of the new high school building.

Conference with St. Supt.

Highway Supt. Fred Greenwood appeared before the Board and the remainder of the meeting was devoted to discussions and plans for highway work during the fall months. This included such items as the completion of work on newly accepted streets, road repairs, drainage problems and the like. No motions nor formal action was taken on any of these items.

(Signed) Edgar P. George.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 15, 1956.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Mr. Hart read letter from Atty. Finnegan, representing Raymond B. Paul, Boston Road, relative to building restrictions and primarily concerned with drainage damage supposedly coming from the new building development adjacent to his property. The letter requested information as to the Building Inspector and the Town Clerk had already advised him that Ralph Cole held that position. No further action was taken on the subject.

Inquiry re: Building Restrictions

The Board was presented with the notices of the Order of Taking of the land for the new high school perdirection of the Town Counsel. These notices were signed by all three members of the Board and were mailed registered mail on the following day.

Order of Taking for School Land Signed.

Frank J. McMahon made a written request for consideration of Edgelawn Avenue & Marose Avenue for acceptance. Both requests were placed on file.

St. Accept. request.

Robert Ficken & Roger Welch appeared before the Board for purpose of presenting a proposal for five-year installment insurance plans for the new North Firestation and other insurance protection. This was taken under advisement.

Insurance. Discussion.

Mr. Welch then presented an appeal for the expansion of the parking area at the McFarlin School. He explained the routing and loading of school buses which is being controlled entirely by the yard; the discontinuance of this area for playground purposes, the need for parking for town meetings, andthe removal of snow during the winter. He asked that sections be graded and filled in. This matter will be given further study by the Highway Dept.

Facilities for loading school buses discussed.

A hearing washeld at 8:00 P.M. on the location of one joint pole on Locke Rd., C-7638, 9/4/56, by LEL & NET&TC. Mr. Albert Downing was present. There were no objections.

Pole Location Hearing.

A petition for extension of bus service over Marion Avenue Ext. signed by over 100 persons was received from Mr. Thomas Malloy, Jr. He was advised that the request would be forwarded to thebus company.

Request for additional bus service.

Mr. Richard Wiggins appeared beforethe Board to request consideration for awarding of license to build and operate a drive-in theater off Littleton Rd. The area, some 45 acres on right-hand side, beyond second bridge. The matter was tabled.

Proposal for Outdoor theater on Littleton Road.

Sealed Bids were opened for Fuel Oil for various town bldgs. Four were received. They follow:

1.	D. T. Sullivan	List price less .01 discount.
2.	Suburban Oil	$0.142 per gallon
3.	A-BA-Co.	0.127 per gallon
4.	Jarvis Oil Co.	0.1435 per gallon.

Sealed Bids for Fuel Oil for Town Buildings.

Contract awarded for purchase of Fuel Oil

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to award the contract to A-EA-Co.

Request for permission to add extension to building.

Mr. Robert Feehan appeared to receive approval of his plan to build an extension between garage and storage shet on rear of Glenview Restaurant. It was pointed out that the Building Inspector authorized such things but, in answer to his direct question, the board had no objection to his building such a structure and the likelihood of his requesting storage space accordingly was voiced and considered verbally satisfactory.

Change in Ownership of Meadow Grille.

Messrs. McInerney, Connolly & Zulinski appeared and requested final change in ownership status and the matter was temporarily tabled.

Request for Used Car License.

Mr. Fred Banford appeared to request some action be taken on his application for Used Car License at 8 Littleton Rd. After some questioning, on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to reject the application.

Request for theater license tabled.

It was decided to table the request for a license to operate a drive-in theater on Littleton Road near Westford line, per letter of Atty. John C. Donahue.

Inquiry re: St. Abandonment request.

Request from Mr. Ulysses J. Lupien for status of his request regarding old town road on his land and the abandonment of same, no action was taken.

Chap. 90 Allotment requests.

Two letters signed; one a request for Chapter 90 allotments for 1957 and the other to request that work commence immediately on the Billerica Road reconstruction project.

(Signed) Edgar P. George

Special Meeting of Board of Selectmen
October 25, 1956; Afternoon

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Other persons present.

Also present were Highway Supt., Frederick Greenwood, and Messrs. Sullivan and Levenson of the DPW.

Billerica Rd. reconstruction discussed.

The subject discussed wasthe Billerica Road reconstruction project. A discussion regarding the merits of moving Myrick House and relocation of Turnpike Road followed and it was believed that the Turnpike Road entrance should be changed. It was finally stated that when a letter is received in the Dist. Engineer's Office, work would commence.

Town Clerk requests additional counting equipment for polls.

Town Clerk, Charlotte DeWolf, appeared to ask that counting boards be purchased for Presidential Election. This purchase was approved. Also the members decided to engage additional help for counting votes at the Polls on Nov. 6th.

(Signed) Edgar P. George.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 1, 1956.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew, were present.

Jurors Drawn.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, the following-listed jurors were drawn for Sup. Court duty:

1. By Mr. George: Clarence A. Bartlett, Exec. V.-Pres.
2. By Mr. McAndrew: Leo A. Williams, Supt.

Bldg. Insp. inquires about granting permits to prefab.bldgs

The Bldg. Inspector, Ralph R. Cole, was present and after a short discussion, on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to defer action on the granting of Building Permits to the Stratford Builders for a period of 30 days, pending further information.

Coal Bids opened for Fire Dept. Award made.

Allan Kidder, Fire Chief, was present and presented Sealed Bids which he had received for purchase of coal for three stations. They follow:

1. Quinn Coal Co. $25.85 per ton.
2. Dunigan Coal Co. 25.00 per ton.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to award the contract to the low bidder.

Spec. Police Officer to be kept on duty at Ctr.Firehse. during voting.

Then Mr. Kidder requested the Selectmen to instruct the Police Chief to keep a Special Officer on duty at the outside of Center Firehouse during voting, and while counting so that the entrance to the building from North Road will be kept open in case of emergency. The Selectmen approved the request and it was so voted on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George.

Discussion re: Smoke nuisance at North Dump.

After some discussion on the problem of fire and smoke control at the North Dump, the FireChief asked that he receive in writing the policy of the Town and Selectmen with regard to control.

Request for funds for East Legion Post.

Messrs. Edward Quinn & Perry Delmore, representatives of Legion Post, #366, at East, spoke to the Board about obtaining sum of money from the Finance Committee for purchase of coal for use at East Schoolhouse, so that the Post could function and place in operation several projects. Mr. Hart later in the evening talked with Mr. Schliebus, Chairmn. of the Finance Committee and the matter was taken under advisement.

Civil Def. Auxiliary Police Aptd.

Appointment notices were signed for Civil Defense Auxiliary Police. The names of the appointees follow:

1. Robert C. Yates
2. William M. Colmer
3. Barnard L. George
4. Malcolm E. Weeks
5. James A. Arsenault
6. Russell A. Mann
7. John M. Reiss
8. Dennis J. Murphy
9. Kenneth C. Byam
10. Clifford M. Hoyt
11. Merle C. Leach
12. Vernon B. Morris
13. Leo E. J. Prue
14. Walter E. Vinal
15. Charles A. Batts
16. Clifford H. Varnum
17. Charles H. Daughraty
18. Manuel E. Mello,Jr.
19. George A. Sutherland
20. Ewart J. F. Spencer
21. John A. Quigley
22. Daniel W. Hoxie
23. George G. Brown,Jr.
24. Raymond Day
25. Frederic L. Mehan
26. Walter F. Thomas
27. Donald J. Beaubien
28. William F. Connor
29. William E. Morrissey,Jr.
30. H. Chadbourne Ward
31. Halvar P. Peterson
32. Rudolph T. Hansen
33. James J. Kerrigan
34. Albert Leman
35. Mark H. Norton
36. Chandler W. Robinson
37. John W. Breen
38. John C. Duthney
39. James J. Walker
40. Arthur F. Cunningham
41. John T. Daughraty
42. Daniel M. Quinn
43. Edward V. Whelen
44. Charles Simpson,Jr.
45. Robt. W. Pearson
46. Arnold A. Garrow
47. George G. Brown
48. Geo. S. Lovett, Jr.

Registrar of Voters appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to appoint Dorothy Borrows as Registrar of Voter, to fill unexpired term of Daniel E. Haley.

Spec. for Highway Office improvements.

Specifications from Thomas Sugden for Highway Office improvements read and Mr. Hart stated he would obtain estimates for cost of the work.

Easement for Drainage Line at Church.

Letter with plan of drainage line easement on Central Congregational Church property from Town Counsel read and Mr. George stated he would confer with church authorities regarding the matter.

Rules for St. Accept. adopted.

Rules and regulations for St. Acceptance Plans adopted by the Board and the Board directed that advertisements appear in the papers calling for applications on or before Nov. 30, 1956.

Letter to be written re: Drainage problem on Avila Land.

The Board requested that a letter be written to Mr. Manuel Avila stating that they felt that the town was not responsible for drainage condition that exists on his property.

Also the Board requested that Mr. Ulysses J. Lupien be informed that the matter of abandoning an accepted way on his property is presently being studied by the Town Counsel.

Explosive fence discussed.

Messrs. Joseph Lukas & Edward Baron appeared and they requested that the fence around the explosive storage location be installed. They presented a letter to the Board and the Selectmen stated they would consider the fence project.

Letter re: DPW request for details of Parkhurst Rd.

Letter from the DPW regarding no heavy trucking on Parkhurst Rd. to be turned over to the Police Dept. for filling out of the questionnaire.

DPU Hearings.

DPU Hearings for B&M track signal changes and Lowell Gas Co. bond issues read and to go file.

Result of Chelmsford St. Survey. of Speeds.

Letter from DPW stating that survey of speed limits on Chelmsford St. had been made and the 40 MPH limit would continue in force.

Sunday License Granted.

A Sunday License was granted to Erlin Ramsbotham, 139 North Rd. Fee: $2.00

State Funds for Highway Purposes.

Letter from the DPW regarding funds for road building purposes which will be available read and Mr. George was requested to obtain more information from the state agency.

Letters read from the County & State regarding 1957 Chap. 90 allotments.

Chap. 90 Hearing.

Hearing notice for Stedman St., Chap. 90 work read and it will be held 11/19/56.

Theater Fee of $300.00 voted.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to establish the fee of $300.00 for annual rate for Drive-in Movie.

License granted to Chelmsford Drive-In.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew it was voted unanimously to grant a license to the Chelmsford Drive-In Inc. Fee: $300.00

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 15, 1956.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Additional fee for purchase of school land requested.

Mr. George Dupee appeared before the Board and spoke in behalf of Mr. & Mrs. Clifton E. Harrison, of 15 Belmont St., Lowell, who own land off Old Westford Road, where the new school will be built. Mr. Dupee stated that the Harrisons had owned two lots of land there for many years and they felt that the offer of the Selectmen of $125.00 for both lots was unsatisfactory. They now request a settlement of $1,000.00 for both lots. The Selectmen stated they would take the matter under advisement and instructed the Recording Clerk to make this offer known to the Town Counsel.

Insurance Coverage Conference.

Mr. J. P. Glavin and Mr. E. P. Fiske appeared before the Selectmen regarding a proposed insurance plan with the Improved Risk Mutuals. Specimen booklets were displayed showing what the plan would offer. The Selectmen stated they would take the subject under advisement.

Street Acceptance Regulations.

Mr. Richard L. Monahan appeared before the Selectmen and stated he had plans nearly ready for street acceptance and he requested a variance of plan sizes as recommended by the Town Counsel. The Recording Clerk was requested to check the matter with the Counsel to see if a slightly larger size of plan would be acceptable.

Request for information re: Sub-Div. Bond.

Atty. W. L. Smith, representing Henry G. Somers, sub-divider, requested information on bond requirements for the subdivision and later in the evening, the St. Supt. was requested to call in a professional engineer for advice as to drainage requirements.

Inquiry re: Explosive storage plant fence.

Joseph Lukas, Edward Baron, and Edgar Hunt were present to inquire what progress the Selectmen had made on the erection of a fence around the dynamite storage property and then they called attention to the need for road repairs on Oak St. Later the St. Supt. was informed of the need for these road repairs. The Selectmen stated they would take action on the fence soon. Then the group stated they wished to have an article in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting to charge a fee of $25,000. annually for a storage permit for explosives and they also offered the suggestion that the townspeople not borrow funds for school building purposes and thus avoid the interest costs.

Request that Town Meeting vote on fee for explosive license.

Highway personnel request wage increase & ask that personnel board be appointed.

Four members of the Highway Dept., with Louis Rondeau as their spokesman, appeared and asked that immediate action be taken on the appointment of a Personnel Board so that employees might seek wage increases. The group stated that the Highway Dept. employees would request increases in hourly rates.

Conference with St. Supt.

Mr. Frederick R. Greenwood conferred with the Board relative to the need for additional garage facilities for Highway equipment.

Contract to improve Highway Office.

Later on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was votedunanimously to award the contract for improvements to the Highway Dept. Office to Thomas W. Sugden in the amount of $500.00

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint Ralph J. Hulslander as a Constable for the ensuing year.

Constable appointed. (See Page 63)

Messrs. Raymond H. Greenwood, George Hatch, Gerald Loiselle appeared before the Board to request that the Selectmen increase the rates paid for snow plowing. They stated that the present rate of $5.00 is not sufficient to meet driver's pay, fuel, upkeep and insurance costs. Mr. Greenwood was the spokesman for the group and he stated he was speaking in behalf of Mr. Jarvis and Mr. Parlee who were not present. The Selectmen stated they would take the matter under advisement.

Requests for additional hourly rate for snow plowing.

Application for Transfer of License to Peddle for Frederick J. Corfield, 196 Boston Road, granted.

Application to Peddle.

Petition for 1 Pole Re-location on North Road, C-7657, dated 10/16/56 by LEL Corp. & NET&TC. signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Pole Location petition signed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted to accept the recommendations of Police Chief Hulslander with regard to installing "No thru Trucking"Signs on Parkhurst Road. Police Chief's letter placed on file.

Recommendatn re: No thru Parking on Parkhurst Rd.

Letter from the School Supt. requesting graveling of school yard for bus loading approved and referred to the St. Supt.

Request that school yard be graveled.

Additional Civil Defense Auxiliary Police Officers as follows were appointed: Charles H. Hadley, Edward W. Norton, William W. Colmer, Jr., Frederick J. Fantozzi and William W. Colmer.

Civil Defense Aux. Police appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint Messrs. Eustace B. Fiske, Roger F. Welch and Henrick R. Johnson as members of the Insurance Advisory Committee, and to have letters of thanks written to Messrs. Geo. Upton and Roy Wells for their assistance on this committee in the past.

New Insurance Advisory Committee appointed.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
- November 30, 1956 -

Members present

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Insurance Advisory Committee confers with Selectmen.

Members of the new Insurance Advisory Committee, Messrs.Eustace B. Fiske, Roger F. Welch and Henrick R. Johnson, met with the Board. They discussed the merits of various insurance plans and Mr. Johnson and Mr. Welch suggested that the town remain insured with the same companies and that an intensive study could be made by the existing companies. Finally Mr. Hart suggested the committee study all the proposals and then report back their recommendations. They did recommend that the five-year installment pay plan be placed in effect and that the windstorm coverage would be considered later.

Gasoline Bids opened and award of contract voted.

Bids for the purchase of High-Test Gasoline for Town Vehicles were opened: Only one was received from the GulfOil Co. for a discount allowance of $0.0241 per gallon. Mr. J. W. Wilkes, Jr., Gulf Representative was present. A discussion of prices of motor oils followed and later on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to award the contract to the Gulf Oil Corp. for a period of one year, ending Dec. 1, 1957.

Mr. T. A. Zabierek was present asking about keys for upstairs offices to be used by the Industrial Development Commission. Mr. McAndrew stated he would have keys made for the Committee.

Keys requested for upstairs office.

Mr. Bertram T. Needham appeared to ask advice about obtaining quarters for use by the new Civil Defense Policy Auxiliary Group. It has been suggested that space might be available at the W.I.A. Hall and Mr. Needham was given permission to confer with the Town Counsel regarding legal matters for agreements which might be needed.

Request for legal advice by Civil Defense Committee.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to:

1. Appoint Harold J. Baran, 15 Fletcher St.
2. Appoint Peter F. Fitts, 41 Littleton Rd.
3. Appoint Ernest A. Hoey, 9 Leedberg St.

as Special Police Officers, Intermittent, at $1.50 per hour, and that the Police Chief should be informed that the Board would, in the future, be reluctant to consider other persons who are police guards and who appear not to be interested in further duties within the department because of their regular police duties elsewhere.

Special Intermittent Police Officers Appointed

Board desires that police guards not be appointed in future.

Letter of complaint about Rubbish Collections read and to be forwarded to the St. Supt. Letter was from Mr. Ollie Saunders.

Complaint re: Rubbish Collec tions.

A Junk Collector's License was granted to Edward R. Dixon, 24 Edgewood Road, Tewksbury, Mass. Fee: $5.00

Junk Collectors License Granted.

Letter from Gov. Herter asking that a Committee to Aid Hungarians be named in Chelmsford and Mr. Hart stated he would attempt to name a committee. Later in a press release, the name of Malcolm Weeks, appeared as the chairman.

Committee to be set up for Hungarian Relief.

Letter from Earle L. Swift with regard to town's offer for purchase of land for school purposes read in which Mr. Swift stated he would accept the offer. Letter to be forwarded to the Town Counsel.

Acceptance of offer to sell land for school.

It was decided that the St. Supt. should engage the services of an engineer to give street drainage recommendations for new section of Roberts Homes.

Enginner to be hired to recommend drainage needs for subdivision.

The Selectmen appointed Walter H. Dinnigan, 7 Highland Ave. as a Civil Defense Auxiliary Police Officer.

Civil Def. Aux. Officer appointed.

It was decided that new rates for snow plowing would be adopted for the coming winter season. For light trucks the rate will be $6.00 per hour and for heavy trucks the rate will be $7.00 per hour.

Rates for plowing snow adjusted.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
December 13, 1956.

On this date the Selectmen granted the following-listed licenses, part of which are liquor renewals and the establishments of same, were inspected on Dec. 12th:

Licenses Granted.

Common Victualer - All Alcoholic: (Fees: $450.00 each)
1. The Paramount Lounge, Inc., Vinal Sq. Adv: $6.00
2. Dean's Food, Inc., Princeton St. Adv: $4.75
3. Meadow Grille of Chelmsford, Inc., Tyngsboro Road. Adv $5.00
4. Rainbow Spa, Inc., Billerica Road. Adv: $5.25
5. Dad & The Boys, Inc., Littleton Road. Adv: $4.75
6. Princeton Creamery, Inc., Princeton St. Adv: $11.00
7. The Lion's Den, Inc., North Road. Adv: $6.00

Retail Package Goods Stores - All Alcoholic: (Fees: $500. each.)
1. North Chelmsford Wine & Liquor Co., Vinal Sq. Adv $10.75
2. Lindman's Market, Inc., Chelmsford St. Adv: $5.25
3. Chelmsford Package Store, Inc., Gorham St. Adv: $4.25

Druggist - All Alcoholic: (Fee: $250.00)
1. C. Richmond Page, d/b/a Page's Drug Store, Central Sq.

Retail Package Goods Stores - Wines & Malt Beverages: Adv $4.25 (Fees: $175. each)
1. Alice J. Haley, d/b/a Vinal Sq., Market, Vinal Sq. Adv: $4.25
2. Patrick J. Murphy, d/b/a The North Chelmsford Mkt., Vinal Sq.
3. Chelmsford Wine Shop, Inc., Central Sq. Adv: $5.00 Adv $4.50

Automatic Amusement Devices: (Fees: $20.00 per annum)
1. Lion's Den, Inc., North Road.
2. Rainbow Spa, Inc., Billerica Road.
3. Dean's Food, Inc., Princeton St.
4. Charles F. Dinnigan, d/b/a North Chelmsford Bowling Alleys.
5. George K. Hill, d/b/a Hill's Variety Store, Vinal Sq.

Weekday Entertainment Licenses: (Fees: $5.00 each.)
1. Lion's Den Inc., North Road.
2. Paramount Lounge, Inc., Vinal Sq.
3. Rainbow Spa, Inc., Billerica Road.
4. Dean's Food, Inc., Princeton St.

Common Victualer - (Food): (Fees: $5.00 each.)
1. John R. Kydd, d/b/a Jack's Diner, Central Sq.
2. A. S. Dentas, " The Wishbone, Concord Road.
3. The Lion's Den, Inc., North Road.
4. Paramount Lounge, Inc., Vinal Sq.
5. Princeton Creamery, Inc., Princeton St.
6. Dad & The Boys, Inc., Littleton Road.
7. Rainbow Spa, Inc., Billerica Road.
8. Meadow Grille of Chelmsford, Inc., Tyngsboro Road.
9. Dean's Food, Inc., Princeton St.
10. North Chelmsford Wie & Liq. Co., Inc., Vinal Sq.
11. Charles Ballos, d/b/a Ballos Diner, Vinal Sq.
12. Fred L. Gefteas, Treas. of Skip's Diner, Inc., Chelms. St.
13. Joseph Donovan, d/b/a Elm Diner, Princeton St.
14. George K. Hill, " Hill's Variety Story, Vinal Sq.
15. Lorraine E. Lachut, d/b/a Vinal Sq. Variety Store.
16. Anthony Privitera, d/b/a Tony & Ann, Princeton St.

Auto Dealer's - Class I, II, & III. (Fee: $15.00)
1. Class I: Roger Boyd, Inc., Chelmsford St.
2. " II: Kenneth V. Cutcliffe, d/b/a Ken's Gulf Station Chelmsford St.
3. " III-Harold C. Hurst, d/b/a Harold's Service Station Tyngsboro Road.

4. Class II: George E. Gagnon, Jr., Middlesex St.
5. " " Orman A. Leland, Chelmsford St.
6. " " Percy T. Robinson, d/b/a North Chelmsford Motors, Vinal Sq.
7. " " Eleftherios Liakos, d.b.a P. & J. Service Station, Vinal Sq.
8. " " Joseph Vieira, d/b/a Vinal Sq. Garage.,Vinal Sq.
9. Class III: Farley H. Kemp, d/b/a Kemp's Auto Body Shop, Sleeper St.,
10. " " Roger Boyd, Inc., Rear of Emerson Avenue.
11. " " Sam Abdallah, d/b/a North Road Garage,North Rd.

Licenses Granted.

Sunday Entertainment Licenses (All Fees:

1.	Fred L. Gefteas, d/b/a Skip's Diner	1/1/56 to 12/31/56.
2.	Erlin Ramsbotham, Lion's Den, Inc.	" " "
3.	Mike Zawinski, Meadow Grille of Chelmsford	" " "
4.	Joseph Giuffrida, Princeton Creamery, Inc.	" " "
5.	Robert E. Feehan, Dean's Food, Inc. ,	" " "
6.	Frank S. DeAmicis, Jr., Paramount Lounge,Inc.	" " "

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen,
December 14, 1956.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

Petition from residents of Cortez St. requesting that their street be repaired and resurfaced read and to be forwarded to the St. Supt.

Request for repairs to Cortez St.

Letter from the Board of Assessors requesting that they, as elected officials, be placed under the jurisdiction of the Personnel Board and the Wage & Salary Plan read and then on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to request the Personnel Board to study and make recommendations for salaries of all elected officials and also to make up new salary schedule for Highway - Waste Collection employees, particularly that of the Truck Driver-Foreman Position.

Request that Bd. of Assessors be placed under Salary & Wage plan.

At 8:00 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the Petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for permission to place 1 pole location and 1 pole location abandonment on Davis Road, C-7679, dated 11/19/56. Mr. Charles E. Watt and Mr. Thomas Bovill were present and neither objected to the petition. It was then signed by all members.

Pole Location Hearing.

Engineering report from Mr. Freeman W. Towers regarding subdivision work for Kiberd Drive, being developed by Robert Wildes read and the recommendation noted that the performance bond should be $3,700.00.

Engineering report for Kiberd Drive received and amt. of bond established.

The Selectmen then stated that it would be helpful if Mr. Towers could offer suggestions as to the estimated cost for engineering work when bonds are to be released and it was stated that Mr. Harold Clayton of the Planning Board might be able to offer details to Mr. Towers so that estimate could be prepared.

Suggested that Engineer estimate cost of such services for future.

Request for repairs to Mill Road.

A group of persons, all residents of Mill Road, Mrs. Henry Gifford, Mrs. Arthur Cutrumbes, Mr. Arthur Hames and Mr. William Harris, appeared before the Board and stated that Mill Road needed certain repairs, such as the widening and straightening of curves, brush cutting, removal of hurricane stumps, drainage improvements on the Hames property and the elimination of road islands at Mill and Turnpike Roads. It was stated that the Board would view the area and that the St. Supt should be informed of the need for doing this work.

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:15 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the petition of the LEL Corp. and NET&TC. for 1 pole location on Old Westford Road, C-7672, dated 11/2/56. No one was present to object. The petition was then signed by all members.

Certification of Incorporators signed.

Letter announcing formation of Lowell Real Estate Board, Inc., and certification of two incorporators, M. Edward Riney and William E. Riney read and signed and to be returned to the Secy. of Commonwlth.

Application To Peddle signed.

Application to Peddle for Donald Robert Howard, 15 Cedar St., North Chelmsford signed. Fee: None.

Application for Outdoor Sign.

Application for installation of outdoor sign on Tyngsboro Road for Motel read and the Recording Clerk was requested to obtain detail information as to the exact location of sign.

Letter re: water damage to property.

Letter regarding damages to property of Raymond Paul due to drainage conditions to go on file.

Chap. 90 Stedman St. contracts signed.

Contracts for Chapter 90, Reconstruction of Stedman St. signed.

Claim for damages due to drainage line.

Letter from Atty. E. J. DeSalunier, Jr. stating he represents Mr. Dulgarian regarding claim for damages due to installation of drainage line across his property referred to St. Supt.

Treasurer & Collector's Bonds.

Letter regarding Bonds for:
Treasurer: $51,400 and Collector: $55.600 signed by Board.

Acceptance of offer for sale of land.

Letter from Julian L. Yesley, Atty. for Mr. & Mrs. Simon Moreau, stating they would be willing to acdept $125.00 for sale of their land for school purposes read to be forwarded to Town Counsel.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
December 28, 1956.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Request for South Row Drainage Improvements

Several persons from Boston Road and South Row Street vicinity, including Mr. Raymond V. Paul, Mr. Thomas Speedling and Mr. Leo Norwark, appeared about the drainage and road conditions of South Row Street. The Selectmen, after a long period of discussion, told the persons present that they would view the conditions with the St. Supt. in the very near future.

DPU Hearing for new financing.

DPU Letter regarding New England Power Co. hearing for sale of additional shares of stock read andto go on file.

Sealed Bids Opened for the printing of the Annual Town Reports

Mr. Robert Phaneuf was present at about 8:00 P.M. when Sealed Bids for theprinting of theAnnual Town Report were opened. They follow:

Opened by Mr. Hart,	Dicken Printing Co.	Bid	$12.00	pr. page.
" by Mr. McAndrew,	Offset "	" "	11.25	" "
" by Mr. George,	Phaneuf "	" "	8.48	" "

Contract awarded for printing of the town reports.

At this time the bids were taken under advisement. Then later in the evening after a discussion on the subject, on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was votedunanimously to award the contract for the printing of the reports to Phaneuf Printing Co. @ $8.48 per page for 4100 copies to be delivered on or before 3/4/57.

Insurance established for North Fire House.

It was decided to insure the North Firehouse for coverage of $65,000.00; andthat Henrick R. Johnson should be given the insurance and that a binder should be placed on the premises immediately.

Tercentenary Committee to dissolve.

Carl A. E. Peterson appeared before the Board to state that the Tercentenary Corp. would soon dissolve and that the funds in the treasury would be transferred to thetown by special articles at the Town Meeting. The Selectmen approved the insertion of these articles and it was left that the Tercentenary Committee would request assistance of the Town Counsel to draw up the articles.

Bids opened for sale of town land.

Bids for the sale of one lot of land were opened at about 8:30 P.M. in the presence of Helen Sagris and Mr. Sagris. Mr. Hart opened the one sealed bid and it contained an offer to purchase the land for $75.00 by Helen Sagris. The bid was taken under advisement andthen later in the evening it was decided not to sell theland as the bid was inadequate.

Bid not accepted.

Letter re: Town named as beneficiary in will.

Letter from Atty. Frank Garvey, stating that the town had been named as a receipient in the will of the late Edith Perham read and Mr. George stated he would check with Mr. Garvey for further details.

Application to peddle.

Application to Peddle from Robert C. Yates, 21-A Stedman St. signed by the Board Members. Fee: None.

Articles for Annual Town Meeting.

It was decided that the Warrant for the town meeting should contain articles:

1. For committee to be named to study the subject of revision of the town report.
2. Artciles for Discontinuance of three streets (now not used) on request of Ulysses J. Lupien, Hans Hansen andThomas E. Firth.

Board of Selectmen
by ad Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
January 15, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Warrant signed.

Warrant #4, dated 1/15/57 for $41,315.98 signed and approved.

Request for work to plow snow.

Mr. George Hatch was present regarding the need for employment. He stated that he has a truck available for plowing work but he had been hired very few times recently and he said that he needed the work. Mr. Hart stated that there was less need for hiring outside equipment since the purchase of additional equipment by the Highway Dept. and it was planned this way so as to save the town equipment hire.

Conference with sub-divider and recommendations to be followed.

Mr. Robert Wildes was present and the Board Members discussed with him the need for improvements on South Row St. sub-division. Mr. Wildes stated he would try and cooperate with the Board and it was decided to remove snow at the turn-around on South Row St. to view conditions and then various recommendations would be made, prior to the signing of letters for new sub-divisions.

Pole Location hearing.

At 8:00 P.M. there was a Public Hearing on the petition of the LEL Corp. and NET&TC. for installation of three joint poles on Grandview Road to serve Charles Forrest. Petition #C-7688, dated 12/3/56. Mr. Forrest and Mr. McInnis of the LEL Corp. were present. There were no objections and the petition was signed.

Conference with St. Supt. re: Chapter 90 projects for 1957.

Frederick R. Greenwood, St. Supt. was present to discuss the Chapter 90 projects to be planned for 1957. It was suggested by Mr. Hart that a conference be held later with Mr. George, Mr. Hanron and Mr. Greenwood relating to the details for Federal Aid for Highway Construction.

Sealed Bids for purchase of salt, received and opened.

At 8:30 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened for the purchase of salt to be used by the Highway Dept. They follow:

1. By Mr. Hart,	The Chemical Corp.	$14.90	per ton in bulk.	$24.40 by bags.
2. By Mr. George,	International Salt Co	$14.90	" " " "	21.40 by "
3. By Mr. McAndrew,	Eastern Minerals	$15.95	" " " "	

Mr. David F. Mahoney was present to examine the bids. Mr. Hart suggested that the bids be taken under advisement and that later the St. Supt. should purchase salt as previously.

Hearing for storage of Diesel Oil.

At 8:00 P.M. a hearing was held on the application of Frederick Russell for permission to store 16,000 gallons of Diesel Oil underground at 145 Littleton Road. No one was present to object. The registered mail return receipts were presented to the Selectmen later, (about 1/22/57) and then the license was signed. Fee: $5.00; Fees: $6.75.

Drive-In Theater License form signed.

License form for Chelmsford Drive-In, Inc. on Littleton Road for the year 1957 signed. Fee: $300.00

Recommendations for fence at explosive plant.

Joseph Lukas and Edward Baron were present and they submitted printed material regarding fence which they thought should be erected around the explosive storage premises and they submitted two articles for the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting which they wished to be acted upon. They then, after some discussion, took back the articles for further study. They then asked that children be picked up by the Police Cruisers on mornings that the buses are unable to operate and when the temperature is very low.

Civil Defense Budget Mtg.

The Selectmen then met with Bertram T. Needham, William Edge and Charles Koulas, Civil Defense Committee Members, regarding their 1957 budget.

Letter from persons owning land where new school to be located stating that two appraisals had been made, . read and on a motion by Mr. Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it wasvoted unanimously to settle the Cahill land damage claim for $5200.00 and that the Town Counsel should confer with the owners regarding this amount.

Vote to approve settlement of $5200. for purchase of Cahill land.

The Selectmen requested that a letter be sent to Mr. Thomas E. Firth,Jr. informing him that a plan should be made available to the Town Counsel regarding his request to have street in East Chelmsford abandoned, so that a description could be made of the area involved.

Request to go out for plan to close street.

A temporary Wine & Beer License was granted to the South Chelmsford Gun & Rod Club for Jan. 20, 1957. Fee: $0.50.

License granted.

Letter of resignation from Raymond J. Greenwood as a member of the Board of Appeals read and on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to accept the resignation.

Board of Appeals member resigns

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint Frank Woodhead as a Regular Member of the Board of Appeals, to fill vacancy caused by Raymond J. Greenwood.

Appointment of new member to Appeal Board

Sumner B. Matthewman, 134 Warren Avenue, Chelmsford, was appointed as an Auxiliary Policeman for Civil Defense.

Sped.Policeman for CD appointed.

A license, on a temporary basis, was granted to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for the storage of 10,000 gallons of gas underground and 10,000 gallons of diesel fuel oil underground on land near Route 3 and Parkhurst Road for road building purposes. This license was requested by contractors Bayer & Mingolla Const. Co., Inc. Fee: None.

Gas & Fuel Oil permit granted.

A petition for the removal of five poles on High St., Petition #417, dated 12/21/56 by NET&TC. signed and approved. No hearing was required.

Petition to remove poles signed.

On a motion by Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to set aside two pages in the 1956 Town Report in memoriam to the late Harold C. Petterson.

Pages to memoralize town servant voted.

It was decided that bids should be called in the near future for the purchase of three new police cruisers.

Bids to be called for police cruisers.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

On Jan. 22nd, applic tions to peddle were signed for:

1. Charles W. Livingston, 36 Newfield St., North Chelmsford.
2. Bertram H. Brown, 200 Groton Road, No. Chelmsford. Fees: None

The Board Members met at this time to go over the articles to be inserted in the Warrant for the coming Annual Town Meeting.

Applications to peddle signed.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

On Jan. 24th, 1957, the Selectmen, the members of the Planning Board and the members of the Finance Committee met to discuss the articles for the Warrant relating to acceptance of new streets.

Joint Meeting with Finance Committee & Planning Bd. re: Street Acceptances.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
February 1, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Warrant approved.

Warrant #9, dated 2/1/57 for $847.05 signed and approved.

CD Special Policeman Appointed.

The Board unanimously appointed Mr. Harold L. Evans, Northgate Road as a Civil Defense Auxiliary Policeman.

Request for Class III Junk Collector's License.

Mr. Edgar Hunt of 273 Littleton Road was present and asked the Board Members to act favorably on his application for an Auto Dealer's License, Class III. He stated that he hoped to dispose of auto vehicles as soon as possible after purchasing same and that the vehicles would be stored in the rear of the property, out of sight in the woods. He presented two letters signed by abutters stating they did not object to the business. The Selectmen decided to hake the matter under advisement.

Request for Class II A uto Dealer's License.

Then Mr. Ronald Pick spoke and asked the Selectmen to consider his application of an Auto Dealer's License, Class II at #8 Littleton Road. The cars would be kept on an outdoor lot next to his place of business. The Selectmen also decided to take this matter under advisement.

Request that legal advice be obtained re: granting of auto dealer licenses.

At this point the Recording Clerk was asked to obtain advice as to the laws which allow Used Car Licenses to be granted and if possible to be rejected or not renewed. Such information to come from the Town Counsel.

Then Mr. Leslie Dukeshire appeared and spoke in behalf of Mr. Ronald Pick, stating he hoped the Board would act favorably on this request.

Decision to have engineer report on Stratford Bldrs. SubDiv.

It was decided that the Tower engineering report from Mr. Freeman Towers should be forwarded immediately to The Stratford Builders, Inc., 3 Lowell St., Arlington, Mass.

Discussion re: Street Acceptances.

Then a discussion followed as to acceptance of various streets and it was decided that certain revisions should be made on the plans of Orchand Lane and Bowl Road; the plans to be returned to the developers immediately.

Resignation of Dog Officer.

The Selectmen then accepted the resignation of Charles G. Fuller as Dog Officer. This was made in the form of a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew and voted unanimously.

Discussion & appointmt of Dog Officer.

Then a discussion followed as to the need for appointment of a new Dog Officer and five nominations were made. They were Ralph Pederson, Harold Stott, Jr., (applications were received from both Messrs. Pederson and Stott) and then the names of Kenneth Kleynan, Frederick Reid and Frank Wojtas were introduced by the Board Members. Later on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to appoint Mr. Frank Wojtas effective 2/16/57.

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:00 P.M. a Hearing was held on the petition of theLEL Corp. and NET&TC. for placing of 14 Joint Pole Locations on Graniteville Road. No persons were present to object. (Petition # C-7693, dated 12/10/56.) The petition was then signed.

Gas Storage Public Hearing.

At 8:30 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the application of

Harold C. Hurst for permission to place tanks underground to store 11,000 gallons of gasoline and to place facilities above-ground to store 1,500 gallons of various inflamables. No one was present to object. Mr. Hurst was present and gave the Selectmen the necessary return receipts from registered mail notices sent to all abutters. The license was then granted and the fee is $5.00. Adv. Costs: $

Application and Hearing for storage of gasoline.

New appointments as to Permanent Intermittent Patrolmen for the Police Department were then made. Previously they had been appointed on a temporary six-month basis. They are:

Peter F. Fitts, 41 Littleton Road.
Ernest A. Hoey, 9 Leedberg Street.

Permanent Intermittent Patrolmen Appointed.

It was decided that a letter should be sent immediately to Gov. Furcolo urging adoption of the plan to make the new Route 110 a Freeway.

Board requests that Govornor be urged to support plans for a Freeway of Route 110.

Then a petition was signed and approved for the tranfer of five pole locations on Riverneck Road, C-7697, dated 1/17/57 by the LEL Corp. to the Town of Chelmsford (due to firealarm system facilities). No hearing was required.

Petition for transfer of poles from LEL to Town custody.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk.

On February 7, 1957 a special Meeting was conducted and the Selectmen unanimously appointed Alan Greenhalgh as a Permanent Patrolman for the Police Dept. Several other candidates on the Civil Service List declined to accept the appointment.

Permanent Patrolman for Police Dept. appointed.

Prior to this meeting the Selectmen met with the members of the Cemetery Commission. The Cemetery Commissioners requested that they be given office space at the Town Hall for the keeping of records. They stated that their records would be moved out of the town clerk'soffice. The permission was granted by the Selectmen to allow the cemetery department to keep their records in the Selectmen's Office.

Selectmen meet with Cemetery Commission

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
February 15, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, and Mr. McAndrew were present. Mr. George was unable to attend.

Members present.

An application to Peddle for Kenneth C. Howard, 216 Princeton St., North Chelmsford, Mass. was signed. Fee: None.

Application To Peddle signed.

Mr. Edgar C. Hunt was present to request the board's decision about his application for a Class III, Motor Vehicle Junk License. Both Mr. Hart and Mr. McAndrew stated that they did not approve of this type of business for this district and, therefore, they were unable to grant the license. The application and all supporting papers were returned to Mr.Hunt.

Applicant requests Class III Junk License but Board denies.

Mileage rate for Bldg. Insp. increased.

It was decided to approve and increase in mileage rate for the Building Inspector from .07 per mile to .08 per mile due to fact that three other departments now pay the higher rate.

Personnel Bd. Member asks Selectmen to recommend salary figure for Treas.& Tax Collector.

Mr. Charles E. Wright, the employee's member of the Personnel Board appeared and talked with the Selectmen as to the proper amount which should be appropriated for the Treas & Tax Collector and Town Clerk's Salary. It was stated that the figure of $6,000. might be recommenced to the voters but Mr. Wright now stated that there was support for a figure of $4,700. to $5,000. amoung the voters. The Selectmen offered very little encouragement to the lowere figures, stating that a sufficent sum must be appropriated to attract a good collector and that the Selectmen should not be involved in any such plans until after the election; and then possibly only on an individual basis.

Petition for removal of three poles.

A Pole Location petition for the removal of three poles on Gorham St., C-7711, dated 1/29/57 by the NET&T & LEL Corp. signed by the majority present. No hearing was required.

Bids for purchase of three Police Cruisers opened.

A little after 8:00 P.M. Bids were opened for the purchase of three police cruisers for the Police Dept: They follow:

1. By Mr. Hart: From Leo F. King: For Plymouth: $4,392.36
2/ By Mr. McAndrew From R.W.Boyd: For Chevrolet: 1,994.00
3. By Mr. Hart: From: Lowell Motors Sales: For Ford: 5,479.50

Mr. Finn from the Lowell Motor Sales, Mr. Ronald Pick and Mrs. James Harrington were present during the opening of the sealed bids. The Selectmen stated they would take the matter under advisement and a decision would follow after the town meeting.

Request for favorable action on Class II Auto Dealer Application.

Mr. Ronald Pick then asked if the Board had come to any decision as to his application for a Class II Auto Dealer's License. He was informed that the Selectmen would consider it at a special meeting on Feb. 20th, 1957.

Request for Seasonal All Alcoholic Lic.

Mrs. James Harrington was present to request that the Selectmen grant her a Seasonal All-Alcoholic Package Store License for the year 1957. She cited the growth of the town and stated that a survey showed some years ago that a large number of people do visit the town during the summer months and thus the setting of a census figure was a logical one. The Selectmen stated they would give the request their consideration.

Request for partial return of bond money as new st. work proceeds.

Planning Board meet with Selectmen.

Mr. Ulysses J. Lupien was present to request that the Selectmen consider a new plan whereby sub-dividers might be able to receive portions of their deposits with the town in the form of fidelity bonds as the required work proceeds and which would be computed by a competent engineer. He stated that this practice had been followed in some other towns. Presently, he stated that the invested amounts for sub-dividers is almost too much for the small local developer. Later the Selectmen met with members of the Planning Board; Messrs Clayton, Archer, Dupee, Pearson and Harrington and after a short discussion it was decided to wait until the appropriation for engineer services is voted at the town meeting.

Request for study of piggery nuisance.

Mr. Felix Hirsch and two other gentlemen were present regarding elimination of piggery nuisance on Billerica Road and they were informed that the Selectmen would discuss this matter at a special meeting to be held on Feb. 20th.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 20, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Street Acceptance Hearings.

Street Acceptance Hearings were conducted as follows:

Orchard Lane

1. At 8:00 P.M. on the Acceptance of OrchardLane: Abutters who were present included Mrs. Jean Watt, Mr. Edgar and Marilyn J. Dana, Mrs. Elsie S. Hadley, and Mr. Allan A. Ludwig. No one objected to the acceptance of the street. The layout was then signed.

Rutledge Ave.

2. At 8:15 P.M. on the Acceptance of Rutledge Avenue: Abutters who were present included Mr. Guy N. & Mrs. Mae E. Whitworth, Mr. Robert Kuhn, Mr. Julius E. Serwin . Mr. Serwin inquired about drainage conditions near his home. Mr. Hart then talked with the Street Supt., Mr. Frederick R. Greenwood, by telephone, and was informed that it was the plan of the Supt. to slope Rutledge Ave. toward Bowl Road, and thus correct drainage problems on the street. Mr. Serwin appeared to be satisfied with this explanation and no other objections were stated. The layout was then signed.

B owl Road

3. At 8:30 P.M. on the Acceptance of Bowl Road: Abutters who were present included Robert Kuhn. No one objected to the acceptance of the street. Then the layout was signed.

Aberdeen Road

4. At 8:45 P.M. on the Acceptance of Aberdeen Road: Abutters who were present included Kenton P. & Barbara H. Wells, Hazel C. Mussen, and Peter & Norma Eveleth. There were no objections to the acceptance of the street. The layout was then signed.

Discussion & decision re: inquiry as to piggery nuisance.

Then the Selectmen discussed the merits of the complaint by Felix Hirsch and others regarding a nuisance due to piggery on Billerica Road and they decided that a letter should be sent to Mr. Hirsch stating that the Selectmen did not have any jurisdiction in the case.

Pole Location Petition.

Petition for 3 Joint Pole Locations on Crooked Spring Road, 1 Joint Pole Location on Naylor Avenue, 2 Joint Poile Locations on George St. and 1 Joint Pole Location on Riverneck Road, C-7712, dated 1/29/57 by the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

License Granted.

A Junk Collector's License was granted to Ernest Dureault, 740 Lawrence St., Lowell. Fee: $5.00

License Granted.

A Class II Auto Dealer's License was granted to Ronald Pick at 8 Littleton Road, Chelmsford. Fee: $15.00

Petition for transfer of poles.

A Petition for the transfer of 6 Pole Locations from control by theLEL Corp. to the NET&TC., C-7713, dated 2/4/57 by the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. signed by the clerk. No hearing was requirec.

Chapter 90 Billerica Rd. contracts signed.

Contracts for Chapter 90, new construction on Billerica Road were signed by all members. A set of three comprehensive contract books were signed and a set of two customary DPW contracts were signed and Mr. George stated he would deliver all five signed copies to the Office of the Dist. Highway Engineer at East Cambridge, Mass.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting regarding Seasonal All Alcoholic Licenses.

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb.23, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

The meeting was held for the special purpose of deciding whether certification should be made to the ABC regarding the issuance of seasonal liquor licenses. The matter was considered but no action was taken.

Board of Selectmen
by Edgar P. George
Clerk.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Mar. 1, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

License application for Class II Auto Dealer.

Mr. Edgar C. Hunt of 273 Littleton Road, Chelmsford was present to ask for the issuance of a Class II Auto Dealer's License. An application in duplicate was presented and the Selectmen stated they would take the matter under advisement.

Temporary Election Officer appointed.

Mrs. Betty Woodward of 170 Main St., West Chelmsford was appointed as a Temporary Election Officer, for Prec. 3, Inspector for the town election, March 4, 1957.

Nomination of Animal Inspector.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to nominate Dr. Winslow E. Merrill as Animal Inspector.

Used Car Dealer Class II License Denied.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to not grant a license for Used Cars, Class II Dealer to Bo's Used Cars, at Vinal Sq. (Robert Ferron).

Microphones for Town Meeting ordered.

It was decided to have the High and McFarlin halls wired for the microphones for Annual Town Meeting.

Highway Garage plans displayed.

The Selectmen then met with Roger W. Boyd who presented detailed information with sketches regarding the proposed garage for Highway Department. It was decided to meet with Mr. Boyd again on March 5th and at that time the Finance Committee would be asked to attend.

Jurors drawn.

Then four Jurors were drawn:
For the Cambridge Superior Session:
1. By Mr. George: Stafanos Bentas, Proctor Road.
2. " " " Ralph Berg, Bartlett St.
For the Lowell Civil Session:
1. By Mr. McAndrew: Nathan G. Lampham, Littleton Road.
2. " " " John G. Parker, Woodbine St.
Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf was present at this drawing.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
March 15, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

At this time the Recording Clerk was informed that the Board had submitted the name of Peter Fitts, Littleton Road for approval as a Regular Patrolman for the Police Dept., effective March 14, 1957.

Regular Patrolman appointed.

Then the Selectmen proceeded to organize the Board for the new year. Then on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was unanimously voted to appoint Mr. Hart as Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.

Board organizes for new year. Chairman appointed.

Then on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to appoint Robert F. McAndrew as Clerk of the Board, effective at the conculusion of this meeting.

Clerk Appointed.

Then on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to increase the hourly rates of the election officers as follows:

1. Wardens: From $0.90 to $1.10 per hour.
2. Clerks: From: 1.17 to 1.35 per hour.
3. Inspectors: From:.80 to 1.00 per hour.

Overtime in the future to commence after 9 hours of work at the regular rates, as in the past.

Hourly rates of Election Officers increased.

Then a petition by the NET&TC. & LEL Corp. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Old Westford Road, #420, dated 2/21/57 signed by the Clerk, Mr. George. No hearing was required.

Petition for Pole Location signed.

Then a petition for 1 Pole Relocation on Locke Road, C-7719, dated 2/13/57 by theLEL Corp. & NET&TC. also signed by the Clerk. No hearing was required.

Petition for Pole Relocation signed.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
April 1, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman,and Mr. McAndrew were present. Mr. George was unable to attend.

Members present.

The Building Inspector, Ralph R. Cole, was present to inform the Board that he had received inquiry as to the issuance of building permits by National Homes and on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted by the majority that action be deferred on the application of National Homes until further study could be made.

Bldg. Insp. appears re: issuing permits for National Homes. Action deferred pending study.

Mr. Jeremiah A. Casey, from the NET&TC. was present to inquire about petitions for underground cable on Groton Rd. and he was informed that the hearing would be conducted on April 15th.

NET&TC. rep. present re: Hearing.

Street light to be moved.

It was decided to authorize the LEL Corp. to move light from pole located in island at Golden Cove Rd. and Billerica Rd. to Pole #25½ on Billerica Rd.

Discussion re: Inclusion of Treas. Clerks on Blanket Bond.

Mr. Eustace B. Fiske was present to inquire about the desireability of having all town employees on the Blanket Bond instead of the separate bonds for employees in the Treasurer and Tax Collector's Office, excluding the Treas. & Tax Collector, thus saving money in annual premiums and the need of issuing new bonds when the employees resigned, etc. The Selectmen stated they would confer with the Treasurer & Tax Collector about this matter before making a decision.

Request that Acton Road drainage line be opened.

Mr. Andrew Noyes of 35 Acton Road was present to request the Selectmen to take appropriate action to clean out drainage line under Acton Road so that water would flow through easily and thus relieve water from backing up on property of Mr. Noyes. The Selectmen stated they would instruct the Street Supt. to do this work.

Street Signs requested.

Mr. Hart then asked that the St. Supt. be informed of the need for the following-described street signs:

1. At Town Line, near City of Lowell on Stedman St.
2. At Cortez St. and Dalton Road. (Post broken.)

Gasoline Storage Hearing.

At 8:00 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the application of Charles E. Watt for permission to store gasoline and fuel oil on land located at 95 Chelmsford St., for gasoline station purposes. Charles E. Watt was present and gave the Board the required seven registered mail receipts. Application was for storage aboveground of 50 gals. gasoline, and underground 12,000 gals. of gasoline, 500 gals. waste oil and 500 gals. fuel oil. On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, and seconded by Mr. Hart, itwas voted by the majority to grant the license. Fee: $5.00; Advertising charges: $ 6 00

Taxpayer present re: various subjects.

Mr. Thaddeus W. Zabierek was present regarding the following-listed matters:

1. The wish to read State Audit reports. (The reports were given to him to read.)
2. Reminded the Board that Mr. Peterson and Mr. Worthley's appointments on the Ind. Dev. Comm. would expire this year and stated he hoped they would be renewed.
3. He then spoke of his dis-satisfaction over the opinions of the Town Counsel relating to Town Meeting By-Laws which were about to be adopted.
4. Then he spoke of his dis-satisfaction of the manner in which Highway work is planned and the manner in which overtime pay is given for Highway work.

The Selectmen offered no opinions as to items 3 and 4.

Jurors Drawn.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf, the following-listed jurors were drawn:

For East Cambridge Duty:
1. by Mr. Hart: Lewis J. Fisk, Boston Rd.
2. by Mr. McAndrew: Leslie F. Currier, North Rd.

For Lowell Duty:
1. by Mr. Hart: Kenneth Reid, Park Road.
2. by Mr. McAndrew: Arthur R. Nystrom, 171 Main St.

The majority of the members present approved the reappointment of Mr. James W. Midgley as Wire Inspector with new term to expire: 3/1958.

Wire Insp. appointed.

A petition for the relocation of one jointly-owned pole on Old Westford Road, C-7728, dated 3/11/57 by LEL Corp. & NET&TC. signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Petition for Pole Location signed.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen,
April 9, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

Sealed Bids were opened for various pieces of equipment for the Highway Department listed as follows:

Sealed Bids for various pieces of Highway Equipment Opened.

1. Grader:-

E. W. Systrom C.,	$17,524.	$19,025,	$19,636
Perkins Milton Co.	$20.890.		
Morrissey Bros Co.	$19,100.		
Builders Equip.Co.	$21,500.		
Shanahan Eq. Corp.	$18,831.		
Blieler Equip.Co.	$20,800.		
H.F.Davis Tractor	$21,420.	$20220.	

2. Sweeper:-

Blieler Co.	$11,250.	$10,500.	
L. Alexander Co.	$ 9,990.	$10,485.	$11,300.

3. Truck Cab and Body for Waste Collections:

Lowell Motor Sales	$7,160.31
R.A.Beauchemin Co.	$5,675.00
Lawrence Mack Sales	$6,821.00
Fred F. Cain	$6,695.50
Bracken Co.	$7,629.75.

The bids were opened at about 8:00 P.M. as scheduled. Later in the evening, on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for the purchase of the sweeper broom to the Louis Alexander Co. for $9,999.00.

Contract for purchase of Sweeper Broom awarded.

All other bids were taken under advisement.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Other bids taken under advisement.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen,
April 15, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

In the presence of the town clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, the following-named persons were drawn for Jury Service:

Jurors Drawn.

For East Cambridge Civil:
1. by Mr. McAndrew: Harold C. Perham, 11 Crosby Lane
2. by Mr. George: Kenneth S. Mochrie, 157 North Road
3. by Mr. Hart: Joseph T. Fallon, 357 North Road.

For East Cambridge Criminal:
1. by Mr. George: George H. Upton, 8 Gorham St.
2. by Mr. McAndrew: George W. Barris, 10 Sherman St.

The following-listed Pole Location Hearings were held:

Pole Location Hearings

1. At 7:30 P.M. on the petition of the New England Tel. & Tel. Co., for 3 Pole Locations on Old Westford Road, #428, dated 3/19/57. No abutters were present and the petition was signed by all members of the Board.
2. At 8:00 P.M. on the petition for the NET&TC. for 450 ft. of underground cable on Groton Road for new Central Office, #418, dated 2/15/57. Mr. Jeremiah Casey, NET&TC. representative was present. No abutters were present and the petition was signed by all members of the Board.
3. At 8:15 P.M. on the petition of the NET&TC. for 1 Pole Location on Groton Road, #424, dated 3/14/57. Mr. Casey was again present. No abutters appeared and the petition was signed by all the members of the Board.
4. At 9:00 P.M. on the petition of the NET&TC. for 1 Pole Location on Dunstan Road, #421, by NET&TC. Mr. Casey was again present. No abutters appeared and the petition was signed by all the members of the Board.
5. At 9:15 P.M. on the petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 2 Pole Locations and 2 Pole Location Abandonments on Chamberlain Road., #C-7718, dated 2/8/57. No abutters appeared and the petition was signed by all the members of the Board.

Specifications for new Fire Engine Discussed.

Allan Kidder was present at two different times during the evening to discuss the calling for bids for new fire engine and hose for his department. After much discussion regarding engine specifications, it wasdecided that the bids should be opened on May 1st, 1957.

Sealed Bid opened for Aerial Spray of Mosquitos.

At 7:45 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened for the awarding of contract for aerial spraying of mosquito control. Mr. Myles J. Hogan was present. One bid was received. It was from the East Coast Aviation Corp. for $4,999.00. On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to award the contract to the East Coast Aviation Corp. with the understanding that the work shall be under the supervision of the Moth Supt., Myles J. Hogan.

Request that drainage problem on Locke Road be eliminated.

Mr. John Gurich, representing the B&G Realty Co., was present to request that the Board take steps to eliminate drainage problems on Locke Road. It was stated that new homes built in the area have been flooded in the basements due to surface water from Locke Road. The Board Members stated they would view the area before coming to a decision on the matter.

Sealed Bids for Highway Materials and equipment opened.

At 8:30 P.M. thru 9:00 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened in the presence of ten representatives from Sundry Firms. All bids were for bituminious, oil and asphalt products, equipment tires, stone, gravel, sand, pipe, cement blocks, manhole covers, etc. for use by the Highway Dept., All bids were taken under advisement.

Sealed Bids to be opened 5/1/57 for Waste Collection Truck.

It was decided to call for bids for Waste Collections Body on May 1, 1957.

Annual Appointments made.

Then the Selectmen appointed the various town officials for the ensuing year. They follow.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unamously to appoint J.Henry Duffy, Thomas Miskell, Frederick W. Knox, Francis J. Sakalinski, Mederic Tousignant, John J. Hehir, Clark Dixon, Warren Mansur, James W. Coughlin, Elfstrom V. Johnson, Arthur Soucy & Edgar Theriault

Weighers appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint:

Dr. W. E. Merrill as Animal Inspector. Tm.Exp. 3/58.
Frederic L. Mehan, Jr. as Special Policeman for Civil Defense. Term expires: 3/1958.
Frances B. Cummings as Financial Clerk of the Board of Selectmen, Term Expires: 3/1958.
Cortlandt J. Burkinshaw as Supt. of Burials of Indigent Soldiers and Sailors; Term Exp: 3/1958.
Frank Wojtas as Dog Officer; Term Expires: 3/1958.
Ralph R. Cole as Bldg. Inspector. Term Exp: 3/1958.
Gordon P. DeWolf as Veterans' Agent; Tm.Exp: 3/1958.
Memorial Day Committee Members from Post 212: Norman LaRock, John Leonard and Wayne Gray. All terms expire: 3/1958.
Industrial Development Commission: Carl A. E. Peterson and Arthur B. Worthley, Jr. (Terms Expire: 3/1960.)

Annual Appointments for 1956 made.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted uanimously to appoint:

Lewis I. Hilton as Town Accountant. Tm. Exp: 3/1960.
Alfred H. Coburn as Recording Clerk of the Board of Selectmen, Term expires: 3/1958.
Frederick R. Greenwood as St. Supt., Tm. Exp: 3/1958.
Allan Kidder as Fire Chief.
Dorothy Borrows as Registrar of Voters. Tm.Exp.3/1960.
John H. Valentine as Town Counsel. Term Exp. 3/1958.
Arthur M. Batchelder and Edward B. Russell as Town Forest Committee Members. Terms exp: 3/1958.
Myles J. Hogan as Moth Supt. Term expires: 3/1958.
Louis L. Hannaford, Jr. as Zoning Appeal Board Member. Term expires: 3/1962.
Eliot W. Remick, Paul W. O'Neil and James O. Robinson as Alternate Members of the Zoning Appeal Board Terms to expire: 3/1958.
George Archer, Joseph Sadowski, Perry T. Snow, John McNulty, George F. Waite andAlfred H. Coburn as members of the Veterans Emergency Fund Committee. Terms to expire: 3/1958.
Robert M. Hood, George R. Dixon and Thomas E. Firth, Jr. as Honor Roll Committee Members. Terms to expire: 3/1958.
Bertram T. Needham, William Edge and Charles Koulas as Civil Defense Committee Members. Tms.Exp: 3/1958.

Annual Appointments for 1956 made.

Then the following-listed licenses were granted:
Auctioneer (All renewals at $2.00 each.)

1. Bradford O. Emerson, 143 High Street.
2. Eliot W. Remick, 219 Westford Street.
3. Raymond M. Barrows, 4 Central Sq.
4. Theodore W. Emerson, 11 North Road.

Sunday Licenses; (All renewals at $4.00 each.)

1. Joseph A. Thiffault, 206 Boston Road.
2. John E. Secor, 75 Middlesex Street.
3. Mrs. Theodore P. Chianis, 273 Chelmsford Street.
4. George Swallow, 66 Middlesex Street.
5. George K. Hill, 10 Vinal Square.
6. Rose Pansy, 45 Gorham Street.
7. Arthur W. Strick, 173 Chelmsford Street.
8. Charles F. Maynard, 100-112 Tyngsboro Road.
9. Fred Fantozzi, 1-9 Princeton Street.
10. Frank W., Frank E. & Susan E. Mason, 270 Littleton Road.
11. John Kydd & Sons, Inc., 116 Chelmsford St.
12. A. S. Bentas, Concord Road.
13. Sam Abdallah, 374 North Road.
14. Evelyn Gavin, Vinal Square.
15. Robert A. Capella, 108 Concord Road.
16. George Marchand, Jr., Acton Road.
17. Mrs. Nelson's Candy House, 292 Chelmsford St.
18. Lulack M. Jamros, Groton Road.
19. William Vaipan, 30 Chelmsford St.
20. Gladys A. Leslie, 249 Boston Road.
21. Fred L. Gefteas, 116 Chelmsford St.,
22. William F. Grogan, 175 Dalton Road.
23. C. Richmond Page, 35 Central Sq.
24. Charles J. Connor and John L. Fish, 148 Groton Road.
25. Carl Ulricson, 54 Chelmsford St.,

Licenses
Granted.

Junk Collectors;(All renewals at $5.00 each.)

1. Giles L. Whitney, 567 Princeton Blvd., Lowell.
2. Edward R. Dixon, 24 Edgewood Road, Tewksbury.
3. Ernest Dureault, 198 Tyngsboro Road, North Chelmsford.

Bowling Alley; (Renewal at $30.00.)

1. Charles F. Dinnigan, 20 Vinal Sq.

Sale of Firearms; (Renewal at $2.00)

1. Ralph R. Cole, 60 Chelmsford St.,

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Special
Officers
Appointed.

At the regular meeting of the Selectmen held April 15, 1957 on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint the following-listed Special Officers for the Town of Chelmsford Police Dept.,

At the High School: William F. Connor, John W. Carruthers & Mark H. Norton.
At the South Chelmsford VIA Beach: Edward Whalen and Gerald P. Chandler
At the Lion's Den: George R. Dixon,
For Road Construction: Thomas L. Mackey
For Private Duty: Joseph H. Dunigan, Robert M. Hood and John H. Dixon.

City of Lowell Officers: Chief Francis M. O'Loughlin, Deputy John Murry, Capt. Owen S. Conway, Robert C. Crowley, John H. Graham. Lts. Richard A Cullen., Walter L. Kivlan, Peter G. Guduras, Francis J. McGuane. Sgts. Stanley W. Balas, John F. Craig, Thomas E. Davey, Richard B. Fiedler John R. Rammersley, Edward A. Hassett, Albert H. Johnston, John A. Jordan, Evangelos Kanellas, Victor A. Kiloski, Eugene F. McCann, Edward F. Murphy, and Frederick J. Tompkins. Officers John J. Brogan, James H. Burke, James H. Burns, Charles J. Coldwell, Leo C. Crowley, James R. Donovan, John F. Downing, Frederick J. Finnegan, George L. Handley, Andrew W. Hunter, John F. Kealy, Thomas F. Kelly, Vincent W. Kulikowski, Palmer A. Lacoss, Victor D.

Laferriere, Thomas I. Leavitt, Arthur F. Lemoine, John F. McCarthy, Gerald A. McElroy, Martin J. McGuane, William F. McMahon, Thomas D. Maguire, John J. Marshall, William P. Nelson, Frank J. O'Dea, Francis J. Sexton, Daniel J. Sullivan, Joseph F. Tarsa, Jacob C. Goldman.

For Town of Billerica: Chief Joseph L. Ryan. Officers, Robert Olivieri, Harold Blake, James F. Callahan, Robert Morris, Paul Holmes, John LeLacheur, Roger Biagiotti, Herbert Page, Joseph Burke, Robert Honnors, John Barretto, James Hamilton, Joseph Dwyer, Joseph Martin, Harry Henry, and Charles Lynch.

For Town of Westford: Chief John Sullivan and Sgt. John Connell.

For Town of Tyngsboro: George Newell.

Special Police Officers Appointed.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 22, 1957.

Mr. Hart was present. Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were unable to attend.

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:00 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 12 Pole Locations and 13 Pole Location Abandonments on Billerica Road, C-7735, dated 3/28/57. Those present included Ray H. Pickard and Constance A. Pickard, Ralph R. Cole, Francis W. & Marilyn D. Lovering and Charles Dorr, Anna P. Rodin, Christopher E. Sophos, Mary A. Donnelly, Roger D. & Marjorie T. Myrick, Charles & Emily W. McIntosh, Frederick A. & Eileen W. Hildreth, Clara D. Watt, Jerome J & Lillian L. Leonard, William W. Taylor, Versal F. Robey, Priscilla A. Bedell, Mr. Ridlon from the LELCorp. and Mr. Casey ffom the NET&TC. Thoase who objected to the poles were:

Mr. Roger Myrick: Pole #25.
Mr. McIntosh: Pole #24.
Mr. Pickard requested that he be notified if Pole 24 is changed.
Mr. Lovering: Poles 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16.
Messrs. Taylor, Robey and Leonard requested that they be notified if these pole locations were changed from the plan.
Mrs. Bedell inquired about exact distances of Pole 25½.
Mr. Cole asked that locations of #17 & #18 be investigated.
Mr. Hildreth inquired about #17 and #18.
Mr. Sophos stated he approved the plan as shown.

It was stated then that the LEL representative would call on these persons who objected and attempt to arrange for compromising locations.

Pole Location Hearings.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was conducted on the petition of the LEL Corp. for 1 Pole Location and 1 Pole Location Abandonment on Chelmsford St., C-7732, dated 3/18/57. No abutters were present to object.

At 8:30 P.M. a hearing was conducted for 3 Pole Locations and 4 Pole Location Abandonments on Chamberlain Road, C-7731, dated 3/18/57 by the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. No abutters were present to object.

At 8:45 P.M. a hearing was conducted for 9 Pole Locations on Richardson Road and 1 Pole Location on Graniteville Road, #419, dated 2/15/57 by the NET&TC. No abutters were present to object.

At 9:00 P.M. a hearing was conducted on the application of the NET&TC. for 1141 feet of underground cable on Old Westford Road, #427, dated 3/27/57. Mr. Casey was present. No abutters appeared to object.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 1, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

The following-listed licenses were granted:

Licenses Granted.

Sunday: (Renewals) Fees: $4.00 each.

1. Erlin Ramsbotham &/or William Poulos, 139 North Road.
2. John R. Kydd, 11 Central Sq.
3. Harold C. Hurst, 112 Tyngsboro Road.
4. Frost & Co., Vinal Square.
5. Orman W. Leland, 293 Chelmsford St.
6. John J. McEnaney, 65 Middlesex Street.
7. George Cummings, 188 Princeton Street.
8. James F. Eaton, Boston & Acton Roads.
9. Arthur P. Kirk, 213 Princeton Street.
10. Lorraine Lachut, 1 Groton Road.
11. Eleftherios Liakos, 133 Princeton St.,
12. Wilfred Pare, 114 Gorham Street.
13. Ronald A. Pick, 8 Littleton Road.
14. Anthony Privitera, 145 Princeton St.,
15. Arthur & Charles Gordon, 93 Chelmsford St. (Original)

Licenses Granted.

Junk Collector: (Renewal) Fee: $5.00.

1. Eric A. Forsten, 18 Daley St., Lowell, Mass.
2. Warren Henderson, Manahan St., Chelmsford.

(Mr. Henderson appeared; license granted with restrictions.)

Common Victualer:

1. Arthur & Charles Gordon, 93 Chelmsford St., (Original)

Pole Location Hearing.

At 7:45 P.M. a Public Hearing was conducted on the application of the NET&TC and Lowell Elec Light Corp. for permission to place one pole on Groton Road, #423, dated 3/14/57. Mr. J. A. Casey, NET&TC representative was present, and there were no objections. The petition was signed by the clerk.

Request for opportunity to purchase town land rejected.

Letter from Mr. Donald Stimpson requesting that he be permitted to purchase a small strip of land on or off Jensen St., now owned by the town, was read and the proposal was rejected.

Poppy Day approved.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to permit the sale of Poppies on the streets on May 24th and 25th, per request of the American Legion & Auxiliary and that the Police Dept. be so notified.

Memorial Day Committee Members appointed.

Then on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint members of the Memorial Day Committee as follows:

Representatives of Post 313: (North Chelmsford.)
Donald Rafferty, B. C. Smith & Stephen J. Bomal
Representatives of Post 366: (East Chelmsford.)
Francis Cunningham, Kenneth E. Lawson & Charles J. O'Neil

Sealed Bids opened for purchase of Fire Truck.

At 8:00 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened for the purchase of a FireTruck with the Fire Chief, Allan Kidder, and seven company representatives being present:

Opened by Mr. George:	LaFrance Co:	$21,265.29
Opened by Mr. McAndrew:	Pirsch Co:	21,985.00
Opened by Mr. Hart:	Mack Co:	19,200.00*
Opened by Mr. Hart:	Maxim Co:	19,745.00

*All representatives were questioned at the time of each bid being opened and all stated that their bid complied with the specifications in every detail and that there were no questions about the specifications with one exception and that being the bid by the Mack Co. Then the bids were taken under advisement.

Bidders of fire truck questioned about their bids.

At about 8:20 P.M. bids were then opened for the purchase of Hose: Mr. Kidder was present and three company representatives.

		2½"	1½"	1 1/8"	
Opened by Mr. George:	LaFranceCo.	$1.55	$1.10	$0.56	2%Disc.
Opened by Mr. McAndrew:	J.L. Murphy:	1.45	0.95	0.48	"
Opened by Mr. Hart:	J.A.McCarthy	1.49	1.05	0.51	"
Opened by Mr. Hart:	Am. Fire Eq.	1.55	1.10	0.52	"
Opened by Mr. George:	Hodson F.Eq.	1.56	1.08	0.49	"

Sealed Bids opened for purchase of Fire Hose.

Later in the evening, on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to award the contract to Joseph L. Murphy per bid received.

Award of contract for purchase of Fire Hose.

At about 8:27 P.M. bids were opened for the purchase of a Packer Body for Waste Collections for the Highway Dept., with Allan Kidder and four company representatives being present:

Opened by Mr. George:	Heil Co.	$5,470.00	Net.
Opened by Mr. Hart:	Casey & Dupuis	$5,670.00.	Net.
Opened by Mr. Hart:	Gar Wood	$5,470.00	Net.
Opened by Mr. George:	Bleiler Co.	$5,470.00	Net.
Opened by Mr. McAndrew:	Lacey & Sons: with three bids: $5,295. $4,495. & $5,870.		

The bids were taken under advisement.

Sealed Bids opened for Waste Collection Truck Body.

Judge John H. Valentine was present to receive instructions from the Selectmen regarding the need for a legal opinion as to the reconstruction of Turnpike Road.

Selectmen request legal opinion from Town Counsel.

The Town Clerk, Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf, was present and various jurors were drawn for Cambridge service:

1. By Mr. Hart: Harold Kiberd, 7 Varney Ave.,
2. By Mr. Hart: Ralph A. Knight, 6 Albina St.,
3. By Mr. George: Hans H. Schliebus, High St.

Jurors Drawn.

Letter from the Planning Board read in which they inquired about the Selectmen's opinion for reducing amounts of Performance Bonds when a portion of the work hasbeen completed. The Selectmen directed the Recording Clerk to prepare a reply stating that the Selectmen would approve such a policy if a competent engineer supervised the planning and that the bond period of renewal had arrived.

Letter from Planning Board re: reduction of bond amounts as work proceeds

Various petitions for Pole Locations & Removals were then signed:

1. For tranfer of 5 Pole Locations on Old Westford Road from the LEL Corp. to NET&TC., #425, dated 3/19/57 by the LEL Corp. and NET&TC. signed by the clerk. No hearing required.
2. For Removal of 3 Poles on Old Westford Road, #426, dated 3/19/57, by NET&TC. & LEL Corp., signed by all members. No hearing was required.
3. For Removal of 1 jointly owned pole on Tyngsboro Road, #422, dated 4/3/57 by the LEL Corp. & NET&TC., no hearing being required and signed only by the clerk.

Pole Locatio &/or removals petitions

Application to peddle for Alexander C. Ross, 7 Clarke Ave., Chelmsford signed . No fee:

Application to peddle.

Letter to be written re: cab for sweeper broom

The Selectmen then directed the Recording Clerk to send a letter to the Louis A. Alexander Co., 264 North Beacon St., Watertown, to inquire if the cost for the cab for sweeper broom is not more than $200.00, the town will consider the purchase of same and if otherwise the cab should be removed.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Selectmen, May 6, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Award of contract for purchase of Waste Collection Truck Body.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for purchase of the Packer Body for Waste Collections to the Bleiler Co. for the sum of $5,470.00.

Award for contract of Waste Collection Truck Cab & chassis.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for the purchase of the cab and chassis for Waste Collections vehicle to the Lowell Motor Sales Co., with the larger 1100 type tires, for the sum of $7,160.31.

Award of contract for purchase of Grader.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted by the majority only to purchase the Austin Western Grader from the Builders' Equipment & Supply Co. for sum of $20,825.00. Mr. Hart dissented. The vote wasamended by Mr. George with the provision that the Selectmen could use the 2% Discount term given by the company after the opening of the bids, and that the Recording Clerk should investigate this additional consideration before the award is final, by requesting legal information from the Town Counsel.

Award of contract for purchase of fire truck.

Then later it was unanimously decided to award the contract for the purchase of a Fire Dept. pumper to the Maxim Co., per bid received.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk.

Special Meeting of the Selectmen, May 9, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, and Mr. George were present. Mr. McAndrew had been notified but was unable to attend.

Vote regarding the sale of bonds to finance new High School

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted by both members that the following statement should be made a part of the official records of the Selectmen, and that the Town should sell the following-described bonds for funds to finance the new High School at Chelmsford.

I, the Clerk of the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts, certify that at a meeting of the Board held May 9, 1957, of which all members of the Board were duly notified and at which a quorum was present, the following vote was unanimously passed, all of which appears upon the official records in my custody, and that of the Recording Clerk of the Selectmen:

Voted that the sale of the following bonds of the town

$500,000 3.50 per cent School Project Loan, Act of 1948, Nos. 1 to 500) dated June 1, 1957, payable June 1, $25,000. in 1958 50 1977 and reciting that they are issued pursuant to Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948 as amended and a vote of the town duly passed,

$500,000 3.50 per cent School Loan, (Nos. 1 to 500, dated June 1, 1957, payable June 1, $25,000. in 1958 to 1977 and reciting that they are issued pursuant to Chapter 44 of the General Laws as amended and a vote of the town duly passed,

Vote regard-
ing the sal
of bonds
to finance
new High
School.

to HARRIMAN, RIPLEY & CO., INC., GOLDMAN, SACHS & CON., HEMPHILL, NOYES & CO., W. E. HUTTON & CO., LEE, HIGGINSON, CORP., at the price of 100.29 and accrued interest is hereby confirmed.

Dated May 9, 1957.

Board of Selectmen

by Robert L. McAndrew
CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 15, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Mr. Charles Vrouhas was present and presented information that all the abutters had been notified by registered mail as required by state law relating to his application for a Wine & Malt Beverage Retail Package Goods Store. Both Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew inquired about the location and they desired to postpone a decision on the matter until they could inspect the premises; thus the matter was deferred for action at a special meeting.

Applicant
for Retail
Package Goods
Store License
Wines & Malt
Beverages
present.
Action
deferred.

Having been informed that all abutters along Billerica Road had now been satisfied regarding the placing of poles, a petition for 12 Pole Locations and 12 Pole Location Abandonments, C-7735, dated 3/28/57 by the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. was signed.

Petition for
Pole Locatio
signed.

Letter from the School Supt. Thomas L. Rivard, read in which he requested two rubbish pickups each week at various schools rejected for the time being with plans to accomodate the School Dept. when the new waste collection truck is in operation.

Request for
2 weekly
rubbish
collections
at various
schools.

ABC notice for Memorial Day read and adopted.

ABC Report
for Holiday.

Petition for request of Street Light on Pole 3, Rutledge & Bowl Road to be placed in folder of orders for St. Lights for future action.

Petition for removal of 9 Pole Locations on Richardson Road and removal of 1 Pole Location on Graniteville Road, #429, dated 4/26/57 by NET&TC. signed by all members of the Board. No hearing was required.

Pole Removal
Petition
Signed.

The next regular meeting, it was planned, will be held on May 31st.

St. Light
requested.

It was decided to request the Police Chief for a Character and Police report on Rudolph Moreau and Joseph W. Hand, per request for certification from Secy. of the Commonwealth.

Police Report
requested.

Sunday License Granted.

A Sunday License for Charles Ballos, 17-19 Vinal Sq., granted. Fee: $4.00.

St. Acceptance inquiry.

Inquiry from Mrs. Helen Johnston regarding date of next meeting and procedure for street acceptance read and the Recording Clerk was instructed to send a reply.

Temporary Wine & Beer License Granted.

Temporary Wine & Beer License for the South Chelmsford Gun & Rod Club for gathering on May 23, 1957 at the Mill Road Clubhouse approved. Fee: $0.50

Letter to be sent to State Engineer regarding Legal Requirements for Stedman St.

It was decided that the Recording Clerk should send a letter to the State Engineer, Mr. Hanron, asking him if all easements had been obtained and if all other legal formalities have been accomplished before work commences and before a Call for Bids is issued for the Chapter 90, Stedman Street new construction project.

Board decides to purchase Austin Western Grader.

A discussion then followed about the legality of accepting the second letter from the Builders Equipment Co. for discount allowance on purchase of a road grader. Mr. Hart talked with the Town Counsel by telephone and it was finally determined that the Board could negotiate with the bidder. On the basis of this information, the Board decided to go ahead on the purchase of the Austin Western Grader, per previous vote.

Qualifying Exam for Sealer Requested.

It was decided to write to the Civil Service Director to request that he plan another qualifying examination for Anthony Ferreira for position of Town Sealer.

Award of contract for tires voted.

After much discussion, in the presence of the Street Supt., on a motion by Mr. George and seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for the purchase of tires for vehicles in the Highway Dept. to Fay & Driscoll, Inc., per their bid received.

Request that Diseased Elm Tree be Removed.

Mr. Francis J. Sheehan was present to ask the Board's assistance in having a diseased dutch elm on the roadway near his home removed. He stated that he had requested the Tree Warden in the past to cut the tree down but nothing had been done. The Selectmen requested the Recording Clerk to write to the Tree Warden and request that this project receive priority as the petitioner had been so patient.

Special Police Officer at Dump Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint Isadore Needham as a Special Police Officer at the Town Dump only.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
May 20, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Retail Package Goods Store License denied.

On a motion by Mr. George and seconded by Mr. McAndrew it was voted by the majority of the Board Members to deny a Retail Package Goods Store License, for Wines and Malt Beverages, at Littleton Road, Chelmsford to Mr. Charles Vrouhas. Mr. Hart did not vote on the matter.

Advertising costs for this application totaled $12.38.

Board of Selectmen
by Robert F. McAndrew
Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 31, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew werepresent.

Members present.

It was decided that the next meeting should be held on 6/14/57.

Next meeting date.

The following-described pole location and/or abandonment petitions were signed:

1. 1 Pole Location Abandonment on North Road, by the LEL Corp. C-7773, dated 5/24/57 signed by all members of the Board. No hearing was required.
2. 1 Pole Location Abandonment on Billerica Road, by the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. C#7761 dated 5/8/57 signed by all members of the Board. No hearing was required.
3. 1 Pole Location Abandonment on Chelmsford St., by the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. C#7762, dated 5/13/57 signed by all members of the Board. No hearing was required.
4. 2 Pole Location Abandonments on Littleton Road, by the LEL Corp. C#7766, dated 5/14/57. No hearing was required and the petition was signed by all members.

Pole Location Hearings.

The Selectmen then signed certifications of character for Theodore W. Emerson who is an incorporator of the Dairy Council ofthe Merrimack Valley, Inc.

Certificates of character signed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to grant a one-day circus license to theLowell 40 & 8 Club, for charitable purposes, on Middlesex St. grounds on June 15th. Fee: None.

Circus License approved.

Auctioneer's License was granted to William E. Riney, 24 North Road, Chelmsford. (Renewal) Fee: $2.00

Auctioneer's License Granted.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint:

LaForrest E. Field as Custodian & Janitor of Center Town Hall.
Joseph L. Larocque as Custodian & Janitor of North Town Hall.

Town Hall custodians appointed.

Edward L. Tyler, Health Agent, was present to request permission in behalf of the Board of Health to obtain special legal counsel for a criminal case which is soon to come to court. He stated that Judge Valentine would be unable to handle the case. The Selectmen did not favor obtaining outside counsel and suggested that one of the associates in Judge Valentine's Office be requested to handle the case.

Health Dept. request special legal counsel. Request denied.

It was decided to make an appointment with Fire Chief Allan Kidder for June 14, 1957 at 8:45 P.M.

Appointment with Fire Chief.

The Selectmen requested the Recording Clerk to obtain all data as to license fees now being collected by surrounding towns for all types of licenses granted by the Selectmen.

Recording Clerk requested to make survey of license fees.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, June 14, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Manning Road residents request Street Light be installed.

A group of residents from Manning Road, Mr. & Mrs. Lambert Leary, Mrs. Joseph MacNichols and Mr. William Hildreth, appeared and stated that they had requested a street light be installed a longtime ago and as yet the request had not been fullfilled. The Selectmen stated they would review the matter and take action later this year.

Wiring Inspector Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted by the majority (Mr. McAndrew arrived at the meeting a few minutes after this vote,) to appoint Herbert G. Carlson as a Wire Inspector for the Town, without remuneration from the town.

Conference with the St. Supt.

The Selectmen conferred at length with the Street Supt. about the projects planned for the summer months and the work already completed.

Pole Location Hearings held.

Several hearings were held for Pole Locations, listed as follows:

1. At 7:45 P.M. for 4 Joint Pole Locations on Littleton Rd., C#7765, dated 5/14/57, by the LEL & NET&TC. No persons were present to object. Petition signed by all members.

2. At 8:00 P.M. for 1 Joint Pole Location & 1 Joint Pole Location abandonment on Acton Road, C#7757, dated 4/30/57 by the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. Mr. Walter L. Ferguson was present but did not object. The Petition was signed by all members.

3. At 8:15 P.M. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Shiela Avenue, C-7754, dated 4/29/57 by LEL Corp. & NET&TC. Joseph Jr., & Evelyn M. Bruttaniti were present but they did not object to the petition. Petition was then signed by all members.

4. At 8:30 P.M. for 587 ft. of underground conduit on Tyngsboro Road., #430, dated 4/30/57, by NET&TC. Mr. J. A. Casey NET&TC. representative was present. There were no objections. The Petition was then signed by all members.

Application to Peddle signed.

Application to Peddle for Frederick Joseph Corfield of 196 Boston Rd., Chelmsford. No fee.

Contract awarded for Equipment Hire for Moth & Tree Dept.

Then the Selectmen recommended that Myles J. Hogan receive the award for equipment hire, per his sealed bid received.

Committee appointed for Town Report Revision work.

The Selectmen then, on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, voted unanimously to appoint Terrance O'Rourke, Charles D. Harrington and Edward G. Krasnecki as members of the Committee to Study Revision of the Annual Town Report with Alfred H. Coburn to serve in an advisory capacity.

Letter to be sent to City of Lowell re: Dump Nuisance.

The Selectmen then requested the Recording Clerk to send letters to the Lowell City Manager and Lowell City Council regarding the many complaints they have received regarding the Lowell outer-Westford St. dumping area. The letter cited the many complaints, the nearness to the Westlands residential area and the health problem.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
July 1, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Request for release of Northgate Southgate Street Bond.

Mr. Raymond T. Osborn was present to request that the bond on Northgate Road and Southgate Road be released. Mr. Hart stated that he believed the request should be rejected until such time as the work required hasbeen done on Southgate Road which is an unaccepted road. He believed that the Northgate Road portion which is accepted could be released. The members finally decided to check the records on file with the Town Clerk and possibly some portion of the bond might be released.

Request for information as to water mains on Billerica Road, now on private property.

Mr. Osborn then spoke of the moving of hydrant on Billerica Road which now is located on private property as the road has been relocated. He questioned the problem the District now faces as their mains are a good distance away from the new public way and these mains are now under private property. The Selectmen said this problem would be a matter for their counsel to decide.

Pole Location Hearings.

At 8:00 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 7 Joint Pole Locations and 5 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on North Road, C-7767, dated 5/15/57 on North Road. No abutters were present. The petition was then signed by all members.

At 8:15 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the petition of the LEL Corp. & NET&TC. for 7 Joint Pole Locations on North Road, C-7771, dated 5/24/57 to serve the new High School. Three members of the Congregation of Jehovah Witnesses; Edward R. Morse, F. W. Pihl and Paul V. Lundberg, were present. They examined the plan and asked the Selectmen to delay approval until such time as they could determine the location ofpoles along their property front. Final approval was denied pending investigation. Later in the week a conference was held between a Mr. Balas of the Church Society and Mr. Gerald Curren of the LEL Corp. afterwhich Mr. Balas stated the Society would have no objection to the petition. Then on July 11th 1957 the petition was signed by all members.

Pole Location Petitions requiring no hearings signed.

The following-described petitions were then signed. Each did not require public hearings and each was signed by the clerk:

1. One Pole Re-location on Dalton Road, C-7782, dated 6/11/57 by LEL Corp. & NET&TC. to serve R. Blackadar.
2. One Pole Location transfer from the LEL Corp. to the NET&TC. on Main St., C-7785, dated 6/13/57 by the LEL Corp. to NET&T C.
3. Ten Poles to be owned jointly on High St., C-7786, dated 6/13/57 by the LEL Corp. & NET&TC.

License granted.

A Temporary Wine & Beer License was granted to John Cullin, 2 Moonbeam Ave., Chelmsford for July 4, 1957. Fee: $0.50.

St. Light transfer authorized.

Transfer of Street Light on Chelmsford St. to Pole no. 53 from 53X approved and letter of authorization signed.

Outdoor Theatre License Revised.

Request of the Outdoor Theater Corp. to re-adjust certain details on their license read and the clerk was instructed to prepare a new license form.

Certificates of character for new corporation signed.

Certificates of Character, requested by the Sec'y. of the Commonwealth, due to incorporation of an organization, for Rudolph Moreau and Joseph W. Hard, signed by the members.

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License granted.

On July 11, 1957 a Sunday License was granted to Timothy Emanouil d/b/a Emanouil Brothers, Route 110, Littleton Rd., Chelmsford. Fee: $4.00

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
July 15, 1957.

Members present

Mr. Hart, Chairman, and Mr. McAndrew were present. Mr. George was unable to attend the meeting.

Kiwanis Club requests Town to build retaining wall at Beaver Brook.

Mr. John B. Gallagher, representing the Chelmsford Kiwanis Club, appeared before the Board regarding the skating rink which the club is sponsering and which will be located at Beaver Brook, Central Square. Mr. Gallagher stated that a retaining wall is needed and that the town, sometime in the past, had promised that such a wall would be installed to protect property of Miss Ruby Emery. Mr. Hart gave his approval for the retaining wall and the members stated they would confer with the Street Supt. regarding the building of the wall.

Hearing to be held on Liquor Application.

It was decided to hold a Public Hearing on the Application for an All Alcoholic Druggist License by Mr. Louis Thamer on July 30, 1957 at 8:00 P.M.

Special Police Officers Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted to appoint Bernard L. George as a Special Police Officer for emergency assignments without pay from the Town andalso to appoint Paul C. Hayes and John J. Sousa, as Special Police Officers without pay from thetown; the latter two both police patrolmen for the City of Lowell.

School Dept. requests aid in improving entrances to school property.

A letter from the School Supt. regarding grading of entrances to elementary and high schools on Billerica Road read and it was decided that the board members should confer with the School Supt. on the subject.

Chapter 90 Billerica Rd. contract to be extended.

Per advice from the Commissioners of Public Works, it was decided to extend the period to August 29th for the completion of the Billerica Road project by George Brox, Inc.

Parking Committee to be appointed.

Mr. Hart then suggested that a committee of townspeople be appointed to work with the Selectmen on a Study of Parking areas which are adjacent to the shopping centers for future expansion.

Certification of character of Herbert Lamprey for new corpOration being formed signed and to be returned to the Secy. of Commonwealth.

The Selectmen then decided that letters should be sent to the Governor and Commissioner of Public Works to cite present conditions of the Vinal Square bottleneck on Route 3.

Ltrs. to be sent to State Officals re Rte 3 conditions.

At 8:00 P.M. a Public hearing washeld on the petition of the LEL Corp. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Dalton Road, C-7783, dated 6/11/57 to serve Roland Blackadar; by the LEL Corp. & NE T&TC. No persons were present to object. Petition signed by both members present.

Pole Location Hearing.

The Selectmen then decided that a letter should be sent to the Police Chief stating that proper signs be placed in Central & Vinal Squares for 1-hour parking and that the new regulation be enforced, and the Police Chief shall specify the number of signs and location of each and so inform the St. Supt. so that his department may install the signs.

Selectmen vote to have 1-hr parking in shopping centers.

The Selectmen decided that a letter of thanksbe sent to the Town Clerk, Borough of Chelmsford, Chelmsford, England for the two Official Handbooks which the Selectmen have received and that the books should be placed in the Adams and MacKay Libraries.

Letter of thanks to be sent to Chelmsford. England for handbooks received.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk.

Special Meeting of the Selectmen, July 20, 1957.

At a special meeting, with Mr. Hart, chairman, and Mr. McAndrew present, it was decided that Allan Kidder, Fire Chief, should be appointed Liasion Officer between the Forest Fire Relief Board and the Town of Chelmsford to seek reimbursement for Forest Fire Expenditures during emergency period of May 1957.

Town Forest Fire Liason Officer Appointed for State Reimbursement purposes.

Board of Selectmen
per request of
Daniel J. Hart,
Chairman.

Special Meeting of the Selectmen, July 30, 1957.

Special Mtg. of Selectmen

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

The meeting was held in the form of a Public Hearing which had been previously advertised in the Lowell Sun and Chelmsford Newsweekly on July 18, 1957, for the application of Louis T. Thamer d/b/a Chelmsford Pharmacy for an All Alcoholic Druggist License at 165 Chelmsford St., Chelmsford.

Public Hearing held re: Application for All Alcoholic Druggist License.

The applicant, Louis T. Thamer, was present. All present with Mr. Thamer was Messrs. John McQuade and Joseph Shanahan.

Applicant present.

Atty. Edward J. DeSaulnier was present and other interested parties who were present included Enslie N. Mills, Margaret R. Mills and Charles D. Harrington.

Others present.

Mr. Hart presided and the hearing commenced shortly after 8:00 P.M.

Presiding Officer.

Mr. Hart requested the Recording Clerk to read the application and Mr. Coburn did so. Then Mr. Hart outlined the procedure

Clerk reads notice.

Procedure outlined.

to be followed; emphasizing that there would be no rebuttal period. Then Mr. Hart asked the proponents to speak.

Applicant speaks

Mr. Thamer was the first speaker and he stated very briefly that because he had been unable to sell alcoholic beverages in packages heretofore he had lost out several times in the sale of prescriptions. He said that the sale of packaged alcoholic beverages would improve his business from the standpoint of prescriptions.

Others speak in favor of granting the license.

Mr. Joseph Shanahan then spoke and stated that having a Druggist License at this location would be a source of convenience to the neighborhood as the facility does not exist at the present time.

Mr. Hart then asked that the others who favored the license speak at this time. There were no others who favored the license that responded at this time.

Objectors requested to speak.

Mr. Hart then asked the objectors to speak.

Atty. speaks in behalf of objectors.

Atty. Edward J. DeSaulnier, 512 Sun Bldg., Lowell, Mass. with his residence in Chelmsford spoke and stated that he represented the Westlands Package Store and several other neighbors and that these people did oppose the granting of this license. Atty. DeSaulnier then cited at length the zoning variance which had been given to Charles Yarid for the use of his property for Drug Store purposes. He stated that the variance as granted was limited in scope. Then he cited the powers of the Board of Appeals and that there is now law whereby Selectmen can rescind or go over their rulings; that the power of the Appeal Boards are supreme. He then cited the restrictions which theAppeal Board had placed on the property: (1) For the sale of prescriptions and other related items; (2) that there shall not be sold ice cream at a soda fountain (3) that there shall be no outside displays.

General Laws cited regarding the granting of Druggist Licenses.

Atty. DeSaulnier then cited sections of the Liquor Control Act and particularly Section 30A which relates to the granting of a Druggist License for the sale of liquors for three purposes; medicinal, manufacturing and chemical reasons, and thereby going beyond the original intent and scope of the zoning variance. He asked if it was for public necessity - with a package store about 450 yds away, in one direction and another outlet about a mile away in another direction. If the applicant was located in a business area he would have a case but it is difficult to see how this license could be granted since the Appeal Board had restricted the use of the property and won't even approve it for the sale of ice cream. He said that he had been given a similar opinion from the Secretary of the ABC.

Mr. Hart added that the Selectmen had conferred with the Sec'y. of the ABC and it appeared there definitely was a technicality about the granting of this license.

No others speak in opposition.

Mr. Hart asked for others to speak who might object to the license.

None came forward to speak.

Hearing closed.

At this point Mr. Hart closed the hearing, calling attention once again that there would be no rebuttal period.

The Selectmen then took the matter under advisement stating that a decision wouldprobably be made on August 1st.

License taken under advisement

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by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, August 1, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew, were present.

Members present.

Warrant #61, dated 8/2/57 for $7,097.62 signed and approved.

Warrant approved.

A temporary Wine and Beer License was granted to the East Chelmsford American Legion, Post 366, for 8/4/57. Fee: $0.50

License granted.

Letter received from the Committee to Study Revision of Town Report and asked that the Town Counsel advise the committee what sections of the report might be deleted in future publications. The Recording Clerk was requested to forward this letter to the Town Counsel.

Request for legal opinion for Town Report Committee.

It was decided that Mr. McAndrew should confer with the School Dept personnel about their letter dated 7/8/57 in which they have asked that the town build a retaining wall.

Mr. McAndrew to confer with School Dept. about High School entrance.

The Recording Clerk was directed to obtain a Legal Opinion from the Town Counsel as to the legality of granting a Druggist All Alcoholic Liquor License to Louis T. Thamer, d/b/a The ChelmsfordPharmacy.

Legal Opinion to be sought re: Druggist License.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, two jurors for service at East Cambridge were drawn by Mr. Hart. They were:
Frederick Burne, 208 Main St., West Chelmsford.
Edgar C. Dixon, 20 Middlesex St., North " .

Jurors drawn.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to release the Sub-division Performance Bond for Kendrick Phillips, John McCoy, John Podgorni and Muriel Barry for Northgate Road.

Performance Bond to be released.

At 8:00 P.M. a Public Hearing was conducted on the application of Sam Abdallah for the increase of storage of gasoline and oil at 374 North Road. The applicant was present and turned over various Registered Mail Return Receipts from abutters. No one was present to object. On a motion by Mr. George,seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00; Adv. costs: $5.50.

Gasoline Storage Hearing.

License granted.

Then a long discussion followed with regard to the appointing of a Committee to Study Off-Street Parking Facilities. Action on this subject, it was decided, would take place at a later date.

Discussion re: Off St. Parking.

At 8:15 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the application of the NET&TC. for the removal of one pole on Fletcher St., #4321, dated 6/11/57. No abutters were present. The petition was then signed by all members of the board.

Pole Removal hearing.

Aux. Police Officer Appointed.

Then Mr. Richard A. Wholey, 99 Twiss Road, North Chelmsford was appointed as an Auxiliary Police Officer for Civil Defense.

Engineer to be engaged for Northgate Road work.

The Board directed the Recording Clerk to instruct the Street Supt. to engage the services of Mr. Freeman Towers so that Mr. Raymond T. Osborn might be informed as to the requirements necessary to put Southgate Road in order prior to future acceptance by the town.

Selectmen vote to increase Liquor License Fees .

Then the Selectmen discussed the increasing of various license fees under their jurisdiction and:

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew,it was voted unanimously to set the license fee for All Alcoholic, Retail Package Stores at $900.00 per year commencing 1/1/58.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to set the license fee for Wine and Malt Beverages Retail Package Stores at $200.00 pr.yr. comm. 1/1/58.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to set the license fee for a Druggist License All Alcoholic at $300.00 per year, comm. 1/1/58.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to set the license fee for a Common Victualer All Alcoholic at $600.00 per year, comm. 1/1/58.

Selectmen vote to increase Sale of Firearms License Fee.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to set the license fee for the Sale of Firearms at $10.00 per year, comm. 1/1/58.

Clerk to obtain advice re: Explosive Renewal License Fee.

The Recording Clerk wasthen directed to obtain legal advice as to the possiblity of increasing license fees for the storage of explosives.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Aug. 15, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman and Mr. George were present. Mr. McAndrew was unable to attend.

Inquiry re: plans on file for Brian Rd. and new prop. accept.

Mr. Armand Gagne was present to request information as to the procedure and advice as to old plans being used for the acceptance of a new portion of Brian Road. He was requested to check with the Town Clerk, St. Supt. and Planning Board to determine if any of the previously used plans might be available to use now. It was stated at this time that plans for street acceptances should be delivered to the Selectmen on or before Oct. 1, 1957.

Discussion re: Route 110.

Messrs. Harry E. Hoyt, John Hudson and Fred Hildreth were present to discuss the plans and route for the new Route 110. A long discussion followed as to a proposed southern route or the use of the present planned route.

Date of next meeting.

It was decided to hold the next meeting on August 29, 1957.

It was decided that a letter should be sent to the School Committee statingthat the Selectmen were well aware of the need of safety precautions on Billerica Road and that steps would be taken to improve same.

Ltr. to be sent to the School Comm. re: safety problems on Billerica Rd.

An application to Peddle for Raymond S. Miller, 6 Marion St. was signed. Fee: None.

An application for tranfer of a License to Peddle for Thomas A. Desmarais, 253 Chelmsford St., Chelmsford, signed. Fee: None.

Applications to Peddle signed.

Mr. Harold J. Pearson was present to complain about recent actions of the Building Inspector, Ralph Cole. Mr. Pearson asked that a hearing be held and that he be removed. Mr. Pearson stated he wish to file charges against the Building Inspector because no reasons had been given him in writing for the denial of a building permit. He stated that the refusal to give reasons, as required by the code, would be the nature of his complaint. Mr. Hart stated that the Selectmen would take the matter under advisement.

Complaint made against the B uilding Inspector.

It was decided that the Town Clerk should give the Selectmen a current list of names of persons available for jury service.

Town Clerk to be requested to prepare jury list of names not as yet used.

It was decided that a reply should be sent to Mr. Theodore Ohlsson stating that the Selectmen and St. Supt.would visit premises of Mr. Ohlsson in near future to view drainage problems.

Highway&Drain Problem at home of T. Ohlsson.

It was decided to invite the members of the Planning Board to the meeting of the Selectmen on 8/29/57 to discuss the appointment of a Commission to Study Off-Street Parking.

Meeting with Planning Bd. planned.

It was decided that letters to Governor Furcolo and DPW Commissioner Carl Sheridan should be written later regarding the extension of Route 3 to the N.H. border.

New ltrs. re: Rte. 3 to be written.

Letter from Civil Service Commissioner Thomas J. Greehan read regarding the absence of the present Sealer for his qualifying examination. A letter of apology to be sent to the Commissioner and an inquiry of the Sealer as to the reasons for not appearing to be made.

Inquiry to be made re: Sealer & his inability to take exam.

It was decided that Mr. George should be appointed as the Chelmsford representative at Andover, Mass. for Committee to study Merrimack River problems.

Mr. George apptd. rep. to Andover Meeting.

The following-named Election Officers were re-appointed, on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart:

Election Officers Appointed.

Precinct 1, Center:

Warden:	Louis L. Hannaford, Jr.	(R)
Clerk:	Irene W. Borrows	(R)
Dep. Wdn:	Vacancy	
Dep. Clk:	Harriet H. Shedd	(R)
Inspector:	Catherine D. Riney	(d)
"	M. Lorraine Simard	(D)
"	Louise M. Harrington	(D)
"	Myrtle C. Sykes	(R)

Precinct 2; North:

Warden:	Mary Ruth Welsh	(D)
Clerk:	Ruth M. Jamros	(R)
Dep. Wdn:	Florence E. Beauregard	(R)
Dep. Clk:	Adella P. McEnany	(D)
Inspector:	Anna E. Cummings	(D)
"	Grace H. Cummings	(R)
"	Mary M. Vondal	(R)
"	Dora M. Tucke	(D)

Precinct 3; West:

Warden:	Dorothy C. Burne	(R)
Clerk:	Mildred H. Wilkins	(R)
Inspector:	Rose A. Doherty	(D)
"	Gloria M. Patenaude	(D)

Election Officers Appointed.

Precinct 4; East:

Warden:	James E. Reardon	(D)
Clerk:	Mary E. Swenson	(D)
Dept.Wdn:	Cecilia Dix	(R)
Dept.Clk:	Ruth P. Lamprey	(R)
Inspector:	Hilda Braga	(D)
"	Theresa R. Maguire	(D)

Precinct 5; South:

Warden:	Elizabeth W. Whalen	(D)
Clerk:	Evelyn M. Philbrook	(R)
Inspector:	Doris Simpson	(D)
"	Edna House	(R)

Precinct 6; Westlands:

Warden:	Viola B. Cochrane	(R)
Clerk:	Eleanor M. Parker	(R)
Dep. Wdn:	Mary H. Long	(D)
Dept.Clk:	Ethyl M. Oates	(R)
Inspector:	Katherine F. Knapp	(D)
"	M. Angelique White	(D)

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Aug. 29, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Warrants approved.

Warrant #68, dated 8/30/57 for $40,762.12 signed and approved.
Warrant #69, dated 8/30/57 for $11,815.40 signed and approved.

Planning Bd. ask permission to confer with town engineer without coming before Selectmen each time.

Harold Clayton, Chairman of the Planning Board, was present and requested that the Planning Board be permitted to confer with the town engineer, Freeman W. Towers, from time to time, without asking the permission of the Selectmen each time. The Selectmen approved the request and the Recording Clerk was then asked to confirm this approval in writing.

Inquires from the Bonding Co. which hold Sub-Division Bonds for Albert & Evelyn Lupien and Ulysses J. Lupien were presented to the Selectmen by Mr. Clayton, and it was decided that the town engineer should investigate each subdivision and then make out the reports to the bonding company.

Bonding Co inquires about Sub-Division Bonds.

Mr. Clayton then conferred with the Selectmen on the proposed new Route 110 and also the establishment of a Committee to Study Off-Street Parking. On the latter subject, it was decided that two members of the Planning Board and one member of the Board of Selectmen should confer on the matter

Off St. Parking Commission Discussed.

It was decided that the next meeting would be held Sept. 13th.

Date for next mtg.

A Petition from the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. for permission to remove one pole location on Concord Road, C-7814, dated 8/15/57 was signed by all members. No hearing was required.

Pole Removal Petition Signed.

Application for renewal of license to Peddle to George S. Yates, 5 B. St., Chelmsford signed. Fee: None.

Application to Peddle.

Temporary Wine & Beer License granted to Joseph Ferreira, 39 Marshall St., EastChelmsford on 9/15/57. Fee: $0.50

License Granted.

It was decided to notify the School Committee that curbing would be installed along Billerica Road near the Center Elementary School entrance by theHighway Dept., in reply to the recent letter asking that steps be taken to eliminate danger of parked cars rolling over sidewalk area into the street.

Curbing to be installed on Billerica Rd.

Dog complaint letter from Adrian Preston, 94 School St., to be forwarded to the Police Chief for his investigation.

Dog Complaint.

It was decided to ask the Director of Civil Service to schedule a new qualifying examination for present Sealer, Mr. Ferreira.

New Qualifying Exam to be held for Sealer.

It was decided to establish the deadline for Applications for Street Acceptances on November 1, 1957 at 7:30 P.M. and advertisements to appear in the newspapers to so notify the public.

Deadline established for St. Accept. Requests.

Eugene F. Crane, Edward B. Russell and Thomas C. Thorstenson present to discuss the possibilities of re-routing the present plans for Route 110. It was stated that a public hearing on the subject would be held Sept. 6th at the High School Auditorium. The Selectmen stated that they would assist the committee in making various arrangements.

Long Discussion re: Rte 110 & town meeting.

Harold J. Pearson was present to state that he had been denied a Building Permit from the Bldg. Inspector and he desired to know what the Selectmen would do about the complaints he had made against the Bldg. Insp. at the meeting held August 15th. The Selectmen inquired about the most recent denial and learned that the Bldg. Insp. had acted on advice of the Town Counsel. On the basis of this fact and other reasons mentioned, the Selectmen stated that they did not wish to overrule the Inspector.

Charges against Bldg. Insp. not supported by Selectmn

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, the following-named jurors were drawn:

Jurors Drawn.

Jurors Drawn.

For Cambridge Duty - by Mr. Hart: Vernon B. Morris,
29 Middlesex Street.
For Lowell Duty - By Mr. George: Carl Lind, 157 Dalton Road.
" " " By Mr. McAndrew: Wallace A. Greig,
20½ Chelmsford St.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
September 3, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Sealed Bids Opened for Hot-Top Sidewalk on Billerica Road.

Sealed Bids for Installation of Hot-Top Sidewalk along Billerica Road were opened in the presence of Mr. William Belleville at 8:00 P.M. The list of bids received follow:

1.	George Brox Paving Co.	$1,875.00
2.	William E. Belleville	2,349.50
3.	James Walsh Sons	1,959.00
4.	Ralph Gaudet	2,184.00
5.	J. Barisano & Sons	1,815.00

Contract for sidewalk awarded.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to award the contract to the Geo. Brox. Paving Co. for the sum of $1,875.00.

License Granted.

A Temporary Wine and Malt Beverage License was granted to the South Chelmsford Gun & Rod Club, Mill Road, Chelmsford for Sept. 8, 1957. Fee: $0.50

Selectmen have conference regarding Highway Garage Costs.

The Selectmen then met with Ralph House and a contractor regarding costs, etc. for a Highway Garage.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Sept. 13, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Warrant approved.

Warrant #74, dated 9/16/57 for $113,840.51 signed and approved.

Ltr. re: non-paymt. of wages to Health Agent.

Letter from the Town Accountant regarding request of Board of Health and Temporary Agent, George Gagnon, for payment of wages to the agent read and the Town Accountant cited facts that such a payment could not legally be made at this time.

Committee to Study relocation of Route 110 appointed.

Letter from Eugene F. Crane read in which a list of nominees for the Committee to Study Relocation of Route 110, read and the Selectmen nominated Eugene F. Crane, Edward B. Russell, Thomas C. Thorstenson, C. Richmond Page and John Corbett Donohoe.

Sealed Bids were then opened for the installation of a Hot-Top sidewalk on Groton Road. Mr. William E. Belleville was present during the opening of the bids. They follow:

1.	Geo. Brox, Inc.	$966.00
2.	Wm. E. Belleville	684.25

Then on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for sidewalk installation to Wm. E. Belleville for $684.25.

Sealed Bids for the sidewalk project on Groton Road opened and contract awarded.

Application for transfer of Licnese to Peddle from Donald R. Howard to Kenneth C. Howard, 216 Princeton St., North Chelmsford, signed. Fee: None.

Application for transfer of license to Peddle signed.

Harold J. Pearson was present regarding the granting of a permit to him by the Building Inspector, after it had been refused. He stated that the Town Counsel had reversed his earlier decision. Mr. Pearson asked the Selectmen what they planned to do about the removal of the present holder of the Bldg. Inspector's position. The Selectmen stated they felt the Inspector had acted wisely in the matter and they suggested that a conference be held with the Inspector and the Town Counsel at an early date.

Inquiry re: removal of the Building Inspector.

Arthur Russell, School Committeeman and Thomas L. Rivard, School Supt. conferred with the Selectmen about various subjects:

*1. Bumper guards for High School Parking Lot.
*2. Removal of dead shrubbery in rear of High School.
*3. Oiling of McFarlin School Turn-around for buses.
**4. Posting of Speed-limit signs on Billerica Road.
**5. Painting crosswalk at Chelmsford St.& Sylvan Ave.
6. Street Light on pole with fire alarm box on Billerica Road,(to be studied by Selectmen later.)
7. Removal of dead trees at East School (referred to Tree Warden.)
*8. East School should be included in Plowing Schedule.
*9. Crosswalks to be painted on Billerica Road at Hildreth, Turnpike and Perham Sts.

*Referred to St. Supt. **Referred to Police Chief.

School Committeeman and Supt. confer with Selectmen regarding miscellaneous matters on school premises.

Messrs. John Bovill, Edward Almeida and Joseph Shanahan were present to confer with the Selectmen about repairs and improvements for New Fletcher St. Mr. George stated that he believed the St. Supt would do this work in a week or so and Mr. Bovill requested that a catch basin be installed at the end of New Fletcher St. It was decided that the Selectmen should confer with the St. Supt. about the work. The Selectmen requested that the Recording Clerk request the developer, Mr. Nutter, to finish his work as required under the street acceptance bond, but later upon investigation it was learned that no performance bond was on file.

Inquiry re: needed work for New Fletcher & Cove, Sts.

It was decided to conduct the next regular meeting on Sept. 30th and a special meeting on Sept. 19th.

Time set for next regular meeting.

Letter from the Treasurer, Mrs. DeWolf, brought attention of Board to fact that office doors were left unlocked and open during early morning hours while janitor cleans and the Board requested the Recording Clerk to notify the janitor to keep all doors locked at all times.

Doors of all offices at CTH to be kept locked at all times.

Certificate of incorporation signed.

Certificate of Incorporation from the Sec'y. of the Commonwealth for Greater Lowell Choral Society, Inc., with David A. & Harriet F. Latham and Richard L. Monahan as incorporators signed by the members.

Petition read for removal of building. Referred to Town Counsel.

Petition from residents of Crystal Lake area read in which they requested that a building be removed to be forwarded to the Town Counsel for legal advice as to proper procedure.

Jury List to be sent to Federal Court.

It was decided to submit list of names remaining in the Juror Box for the Federal Office in Boston.

Reports of progress for Sub-Division bonds to be sent to Plan. Board.

Copies of letters to the Bonding Co. from Engineer, Mr. Towers, for work on U. Lupien and A. & E. Lupien subdivisions to be forwarded to the Planning Board.

Billerica Rd. construction contract extended.

Letter to be sent to the Department of Public Works stating that an extension of time be again granted to Geo. Brox for new construction work on Billerica Road.

Letter and bid for heating system improvements for the Health & Water Dept. offices to be placed on file.

Pole Location Abandonments Petition signed.

Petition for 7 Pole Location Abandonments on North Road, by the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co., C-7833, dated 9/4/57 signed by all the members. No hearing was required.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting, Board of Selectmen,
September 30, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Group present asking for Asbury St. to be accepted.

Messrs. Joseph Pelletier, Joseph McShane, David Zimmerman, Edward Hanson, Mrs. Arthur Cunningham, Mrs. Joseph Galvin and Miss Barbara Galvin, all from Asbury St., East Chelmsford, were present to request that their street be accepted. Mr. Hart outlined the procedure to be followed and the group was given a copy of plan specifications. It was also stated that an attempt would be made to place some gravel on the street, pending approval by the St. Supt. as to the legality.

Hearing for Increased Capacity of Gasoline Storage.

At 8:00 P.M. a hearing was conducted on the application for an increase in storage of gasoline from 500 gals. to 2,000 gals. by Raymond H. Greenwood at 23 Fletcher St. Mr. Greenwood and son, Ronald, were present, and registered mail receipts signed by abutters were offered to the Selectmen as proof of notification. No one was present to object to the granting of the license. Then on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was votedunanimously to grant the permit.
Fee: $5.00; advertising costs: $ 6.50 Total: $ 11.50

Request for Granting of Class II Auto Dealers License.

Mr. Robert Ferron was present regarding the granting of a Class II Auto Dealer's License on Tyngsboro Road. No application was available at this time and he was instructed to complete same in duplicate and consideration would be forthcoming at next meeting.

Request that Fairbanks Rd. be accepted.

Mr. Harold Clayton, Jr. presented letter and plans for acceptance of Fairbanks Road.

A hearing was held on the petition of the Merrimack Essex Elec. Co. and NET&TC. for the locations of two jointly-owned poles on Hunt Road and the abandonment of two poles on Hunt Road, C# 7839 dated 9/19/57. Messrs. Timothy Emanouil, Christy Emanouil andHerbert G. Reid were present. No one objected to the petition and it was then signed by all members.

Pole Location hearing.

Warrant #78, dated 9/30/57 for $48,223.57 signed and approved.

Warrant approved.

Mr. William Edge,and later Mr. Bertram Needham, were present to discuss the need and purchase of a generator which would be used for lighting the Center Town Hall, in the event of an emergency and the Civil Defense funds, it was stated, was not sufficient to pay for wiring,without using funds to be returned to the town due to federal and state participation. After some discussion, it was decided, on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, that the Selectmen pay for the change-over of meter board and install outlet for generator and reconnect for $295.00 from the Public Bldgs. fund.

Request for assistance to change wiring at CTH for new emergency generator.

Letter and plan from Charles E. Watt for acceptance of Orchard Lane received.

Request for acceptance of Orchard Lane.

Letter from Margaret R. Mills asking that the Selectmen meet with a committee from the League of Women Voters read. It was decided to hold this joint meeting on Oct. 8, 1957 at 8:00 P.M.

Leage of Women Voters requests conference with Board.

Letter from attorney representing Walter and Priscilla Bedell relating to Land Damage Case on Billerica Road read and Mr. Hart suggested that an immediate appraisal be made of the property and he stated he would request the Saunders Service of Lowell to make the appraisal.

Claim for Land Damages (Bedell) Billerica Rd.

On the advice of the Town Counsel it was decided to deny payment of $25.00 to Mrs. Theresa Antonelli for damage to her car while operating same on a newly oiled road

Vote to deny claim of Mrs. Theresa Antonelli

Letter from Mrs. John B. Emerson asking for speed **limit** signs on Bridge St. read and referred to the Police Chief for his recommendations and he in turn to advise the St. Supt. of same.

Petition for the abandonment of 9 Joint Pole Locations on Old Westford Road, by the NET&TC. & Merrimac-Essex Elec. Co., C#7827, dated 9/4/57 signed by all members of the Board.

Petition for abandonment of poles signed.

In regard to the contract for Stedman St., Chap. 90 New Const. it was decided that a letter should be written to the Dept. of Public Works asking that the allotments for three years be combined and the work done all in one year with the three-year allotments.

Written request to be made for one contract for Stedman St. allotmts.

Petition for the abandonment of one pole location on Dunstable Road, C-7825, dated 8/29/57 by the NET&TC. and Merrimac-Essex Elec. Co. signed by all members of the Board.

Petition for abandonment of pole signed.

It was decided that Thomas Sugden should be hired to remove awnings, screens, repair upstairs sash cords and repair and winterize a window in Vet. Ben. office, and that an estimate should be prepared for the moving of partition in Welfare Office.

CTH repairs, etc.

Coal Bids to be opened 10/15/57.

It was decided to request the Fire Chief to have available sealed bids for purchase of coal for the firehouses at the Oct. 15th meeting, when bids are to be openedfor purchase of oil.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
October 15, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

St. Supt. requests that garage space be obtained for highway vehicles.

The Street Supt., Frederick R. Greenwood, met with the members to express his concern over the lack of garage facilities for the various pieces of highway equipment. After some discussion it was decided to have a meeting on Oct. 16th at 10:00 A.M. for further study of this question.

Release of Bond for Hemlock Ave. delayed.

While Mr. Greenwood was present the subject of the releasing of the Sub-Division bond for Hemlock Avenue owned by Stephen Burliss was discussed. It was stated that much of the work had been completed. Then it was decided to inspect the area before release of the bond.

Acceptance of Colonial Drive.

Armand Gagne was present to discuss the acceptance of Colonial Drive. He stated that he understood that there was some objection to the acceptance due to the location of a certain garage and he wished the Selectmen to know that he planned to move the garage back on the lot away from the street, at his own expense and he hoped that this would not prevent the street's acceptance.

Request for Class II A uto Dealers License and objections.

Vote to deny same.

Messrs. Robert Ferron, William Clancy, William G. Warley and John McGovern, all were present regarding the applications of Mr. Ferron, presented to the Selectmen, for the granting of a Class II Auto Dealer's License. After a long discussion, at which time Messrs. Clancy, Warley and McGovern, all objected to the granting of such a license, the Selectmen took the matter under advisement. Later in the evening, on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to deny the license.

Sealed bids opened for Purchase of Fuel Oil

At about 8:00 P.M. in the presence of Mr. Alton Westhaver, representing the E. A. Wilson Co., Sealed Bids were opened first for the purchase of #2 Fuel Oil for six installations:

1.	E. A. Wilson Co.	$0.25 discount off a fluctuating price.
2.	A-Ba-Co., Inc.	0.143 per gallon fixed price.

Then these bids were taken under advisement.

Coal Bids opened.

Then coal bids were opened:

1.	John P. Quinn	$28.69 per ton.	
2.	Amasa W. Brown	27.75 " "	(in two-ton lots.)
3.	Fred H. Rourke	17.25 " "	
4.	E.A.Wilson Co.	27.25 " "	

Inquiry re: coal bid to be made.

The Selectmen requested the Recording Clerk to check with the F. H. Rourke Co. to determine if their bid was correct or the bid contained a typogramphical error.

Award of contract to purchase oil voted.

Later in the evening, on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for purchase of #2 Fuel Oil to the A-Ba-Co., Inc. for fixed price of $0.143 per gallon.

Letter from Mrs. Dumont thanking the town officials and particularly the Fire Dept. for aid rendered her relative at time of emergency read and to be forwarded to the Fire Dept.

Letter of thanks received.

Letter suggesting that a speed limit of 25 MPH be instituted for Linwood St. and that stop signs be placed on Miland, Woodlawn, Ideal, Clear and Field Sts. from the Police Chief read and it was decided to check legal steps to be taken to achieve this suggestion.

Speed Limit and stop signs to be checked for legality.

It was suggested that letters be sent to the various department heads stating that committee members from the "Know Your Town Committee" of the League of Women Voters would call upon the department officials to learn details of the operation of each & that the cooperation of each official would be appreciated.

League of Women Voters committee to interview department heads.

Letter complaining about road conditions at end of Woodlawn Ave. near home of Mr. Keenan read and the Selectmen decided to view the area before making reply.

Complaint re Woodlawn Ave. road.

It was decided to send a letter to the Town Counsel requesting that legal advice be obtained for the changing of a precinct boundary line, per advice of Mr. John J. Dunigan, Assessor, who stated there is much confusion about the matter along the West and North Boundaries.

Legal Opinion requeste for changing precinct boundary lin

Petition for joint pole locations on Aberdeen Road, (4), Bowl Road,(4),Orchard Lane, (6) and Rutledge Ave. (3) , C-7836, dated 9/16/57 from the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. and NET&TC. signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Petition for Joint Ownership of Poles

Mr. Edward Baron was present to inquire about the new plans for Route 110. The Selectmen stated that they did not know the exact plans of the new route at this time.

Inquiry re: route of #110.

The Selectmen decided to meet Monday, Oct. 21st to make their annual street light survey.

Special Meeting for Light Survey.

It was decided that the Lions Den, Inc. should be officially notified by certified mail that the officers, directors and stockholders should meet with the Selectmen on Friday evening, Nov. 1st, 1957 at 8:30 P.M. to discuss the appointment of a manager.

Officers, Directors, etc. requested to meet with Selectmen on Nov. 1st.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
October 29, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Contract awarded for purchase of coal for Fire Dept.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for the purchase of coal for the Fire Dept. to John P. Quinn at rate of $ 28.69 per ton.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 1, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

St Light Orders for 1957 Approved.

List of twenty approved street light orders presented to the Recording Clerk for forwarding to the LEL Corp.

Certificate of Incorp. signed.

Certificate of Incorporation for the American Legion, A. W. Vinal Post 313, in behalf of B. C. Smith, Donald J. Rafferty, Joseph H. Dunnigan and R. H. Massey, signed by all members.

Ltr. re: Fire Dept. Problems for new roads.

Letter from the Fire Chief calling attention to the problems confronting his department andthe town relating to Fire Alarm Systems and Water Systems now that super highways are being planned and built, read and to be placed on file.

Request that Auto Dealer Lic. Application be reviewed.

Messrs. Ernest A. and Robert Ferron appeared before the Board to ask that they be permitted to re-apply for the Class II Auto Dealer's License. They were permitted to file the application and also placed written statements from nearby residents that they did not object to the granting of such a license. The members stated they would restudy the matter and talk later with the previous objectors.

Legal Opinion rec'd re changing of precinct bounds.

Legal opinion procedure for the re-establishment of Precinct bounds read and the matter to be tabled and the opinion to be placed on file.

Speed Limit recommendations for Billerica Rd. to be requested.

The Recording Clerk was requested to have the Police Chief offer his recommendations for speed limits for Billerica Road between Central Sq. and Golden Cove Road.

Discussion re widening of Dalton Road.

Mr. Thaddeus W. Zabierek and Mr. Robert Wildes present to confer about the widening of Dalton Road at curve and it was decided that the town engineer should view the area and offer his recommendations.

Ind. Dev. Comm member resigns.

Mr. Zabierek then presented a letter of resignation to the members as Chairman of the Industrial Development Committee. The members reluctantly accepted the resignation on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, and voted unanimously.

Conference with new manager of Lion's Den, Inc.

Testimony re new owners of the Lion's Den, Inc. revealed.

At about 8:30 P.M. theSelectmen met with Mr. Albert Tareila, who stated that he was the President, Vice President, Treasurer and Manager of the Lion's Den, Inc. His appearance before the Selectmen was requested by the board members. Mr. Tareila stated he assumed these offices on Sept. 17, 1957 and that he owned 98% of the stock; that his sister, Helen Tareila owned 1% of the stock and that another sister, Theresa Stuart, owned 1% of the stock and all three had acquired their stock on Sept. 17, 1957, and that William Sheppard, was attorney for the corporation and Helen Tareila was the clerk of the corporation. Later after the departure of Mr. Tareila, the Selectmen discussed the subject and it was decided that they would immediately confer with their legal counsel. During Mr. Tareila's presence with the Board it was stated that no written applications had ever been filed with the Selectmen as to the new owners idendities nor the offices they hold in the corporation. Mr. Tareila stated he would confer with his attorney about this oversight.

Requests with plans and descriptions for street acceptances were received as follows:

Letters and plans received for acceptance of thirteen new streets.

1.	Hemlock Drive	From:	Stephen Burliss
2.	Orchard Lane	"	Charles E. Watt
3.	Kenwood Street	"	Ralph House
4.	Fairbanks Road	"	Harold Clayton, Jr.
5.	Aberdeen Road	"	Thomas Sugden
6.	Tucke Terrace	"	Harold Tucke, Sr.
7.	Bowl Road	"	Betty Johnson
8.	Forrest St.	"	Robert Russell
9.	Rainbow Avenue	"	Howard McCaughey
10.	Sunrise Avenue	"	" "
11.	Southgate Road	"	Raymond T. Osborn
12.	Un-named street off Southgate Road.	"	" " "
13.	Colonial Drive	"	Armand Gagne

Requests without proper plans and descriptions included:

Letters without plans received for Street Acceptances.

1. Asbury St. By Petition.
2. West Section of Sheppard Lane By Petition.

Complaint re: dog nuisance.

Complaint against dog owned by Richard W. Geoffroy, 220 Princeton St. North Chelmsford, by attorney for Alfred Hough 15 Columbia St., North Chelmsford referred to town counsel.

Auctioneer's License granted.

Auctioneer's License to F. Harold Mullen, 15 Hall Road, Chelmsford, granted. Fee: $2.00.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 15, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Budgets received.

Budget forms for 1957 were received.

Release of Performance Bond Requested.

Request from Stephen Burliss for release of a Performance Bond for Hemlock Drive referred to the Planning Board Chairman, Harold Clayton, Jr., for investigation by engineer.

Applicant for Ind. Dev. Comm.

Mr. Claude J. Harvey was present to introduce Mr. Kenneth E. Koch, 235 Groton Road, North Chelmsford. Mr. Koch stated that he was most interested in serving as a member of the Industrial Development Commission, as his work with a local utility company follows industrial matters very closely. The subject was taken under advisement.

Proponents & objections for Auto Dealer's License.

Mr. Robert and Ernest Ferron, together with other persons who reside and own property in the vicinity of 81 Tyngsboro Road. Mr. Ernest Ferron spoke in detail about the Class II Auto Dealer's License which his son had applied for and then other persons who spoke in favor of the granting of the license included Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Howland, 80 Tyngsboro Rd., Mr. Douglas Allaby, 72 Tyngsboro Road, Joseph Stone 5 Sleeper St., and Mr. & Mrs. Charles Dane, 76 Tyngsboro Rd.

Auto Dealers License Granted.

Those who opposed the granting of the Class II Auto Dealer's License were John McGovern, William Clancy, William G. Warley, and Mrs. Farley Kemp. Later in the evening after a long discussion, it was voted by the majority to grant this license. Motion was made by Mr. George & sedonded by Mr. McAndrew. Mr. Hart voted against the granting of such a license. Fee:$15.00

Conference re: payment of salary to Temporary Sanitarian

Members of the Board of Health, Edmund J. Welch and Oliver Reeves, conferred with the Selectmen about the payment of salary due Mr. George E. Gagnon, Temporary Sanitarian. Mr. Hart stated that from information received from the Town Counsel, it would appear that the only solution would be for an article in the Town Meeting Warrant. The Health Board Members requested permission to obtain special counsel for additional opinion, but the Selectmen did not approve this move as they felt it would further confuse the issue and even then the Town Counsel's opinion would have to be considered.

Tree Warden notifies Selectmen of Tree Damage on High St.

Tree Warden, Myles J. Hogan, was present to inform the Selectmen that serious damage had been inflicted to town owned trees along High Street where the Chelmsford Water District mains are being installed by a private contractor. It was finally decided that a conference between the contractor and the Selectmen should be conducted on Friday evening, Nov. 22, 1957 at 8:00 P.M. and that the Recording Clerk should so notify the contractor of the meeting.

Highway Garage discussed.

Mr. Ralph House was present and plans for a new highway garage were examined and discussed. The plans were taken under advisemt.

Kenwood St.to be regraveled.

The Selectmen then discussed the acceptance of Kenwood Drive and they informed Mr. House that more gravel was required. After some discussion, Mr. House stated that he would re-gravel the street.

Gasoline bids to be advertised.

It was decided to advertise for bids for gasoline.

Constable appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint Ralph J. Hulslander as a Constable.

Appraisal of Billerica Rd. Property.

Mr. Hart requested the Recording Clerk to inquire from the Saunders Service as to the reasons for the delay in appraising the properties on Billerica Road.

Aux. Police Officer Appointed.

Mr. Robert G. Sunquist, 97 Twiss Road, North Chelmsford was appoint- an Auxiliary Police Officer for Civil Defense.

Next meeting date planned.

It was decided to hold the next meeting on Nov. 29th, 1957.

Auto Dealer's License granted.

A Class II Auto Dealer's License was granted to Robert Harrington d/b/a Princeton Motors, 123 Princeton St., North Chelmsford.
Fee: $15.00

Stenographer may be hired for Liquor Hearing.

The Recording Clerk was requested to learn if the Town Counsel desired the services of a stenographer at the hearing for the Lion's Den.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 22, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Request for insurance business.

Carl A. E. Peterson was present and requested that the Selectmen give consideration to him in placing the new Fire Insurance during Dec. 1957. He stated that he has an office in town and would appreciate receiving some of the business.

Engineering appropriation for 1958.

Harold Clayton, Jr. was present to ask advice as to the planning of the appropriation for engineering fees for 1958. Mr. Hart suggested that a total item of $2,000. be placed in the Highway Dept. budget and that $1,000. be alloted for the Highway and Selectmen's Depts. and $1,000. for the Planning Board.

Conference with contractor of water main installer, re: damaged trees.

The Tree Warden, Myles J. Hogan and Mr. Johnson, Proprietor of Johnson Brothers, the Contractors, who have been installing the water Mains on High St. met with the Selectmen regarding damage to town trees by the equipment. Mr. Johnson acknowledged the responsibility for the damage and offered to pay the town for all costs to repair. After a discussion, it was decided that the Tree Warden should call in an impartial tree expert to determine the proper assessments.

Request for assistance in zoning problem.

A group of persons from Wildes Road area appeared before the Selectmen regarding a recent application and hearing before the Board of Appeals. They asked that the Selectmen intervene in the matter and state their opinions in the case. Mr. Hart conferred with the Chairman of the Board of Appeals about the granting of a gravel bank on Boston Road, via telephone and made an appointment to meet the Chairman on the following day.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 25, 1957

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, and Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Hearing on Lion's Den Inc. Liquor License Suspension or Revocation.

The meeting was held in the upstairs Center Town Hall and was in the form of a hearing for the Lion's Den, Inc. as the stock of ownership had been sold without permission of the Board of Selectmen. The licensee was asked why the license should not be suspended or revoked.

Persons present.

Mr. Albert Tareila, officer and manager, and his attorney, Albert Bourgeois were present.

The Town Counsel, John H. Valentine was also present.

Mr. William Sheppard, Atty. for the Ramsbotham estate was present, and was represented by Atty. Robert Goldman.

Subject taken under advisement.

The transcipt of the testimony appears elsewhere in the Selectmen's records. After the hearing, the subject was taken under advisement.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 29, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew, were present.

Applicant for Industrial Development Commission.

Mr. Bertram Needham was present to ask that his name be considered when the appointment of new member of the Industrial Development Commission is made. The members stated they would consider him as an applicant.

Inquiry as to status of the Liquor License of the Lion's Den, Inc.

Mr. & Mrs. Wilbur Dougherty of Harold St., Chelmsford, were present to inquire as to the status of the license for the Lion's Den, Inc. Mr. Dougherty stated that he knew the new manager and felt he was most fair in his business dealings with the customers. The Selectmen stated that as yet no decision in the matter had been reached and that the matter was under advisement.

Street Light order approved.

Street light order was approved and signed by the members.

Class II Used Car Dealers Lic. to be changed from Partnership to Corp.

Application for change of partnership to corporation for Princeton Motors, Auto Dealer's License signed and second copy mailed to the Registry of Motor Vehicles.

Bldg. Insp. inquires as to procedure to be followed for legal case.

Ralph R. Cole, Building Inspector, was present and conferred with the members as to the hearing of gravel and loam removal planned for Dec. 2nd on the Roberts case and Mr. Cole desired to know what further action should be taken. The members recommended that the attorneys should try and stop the defendant and that the advice of the attorneys should be followed in the furtherance of the case. The Selectmen then asked that a memo be prepared for the town counsel to prepare a new gravel and loam restriction by-law for action at the Annual Town Meeting.

Class II Auto Dealer's License not granted.

Mr. Robert Cormick was present to request that he be granted a Used Car Dealer's License, Class II for 8 Littleton Road. Later in the evening, on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously not to grant the license.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 13, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman & Mr. George present. Mr. McAndrew was not present.

Liquor Licenses granted.

The following-listed licenses were granted:

Liquor Licenses:

Common Victualer - All alcoholic -		
Paramount Lounge, Inc., 40 Vinal Sq.	Fee:	$600.00
Princeton Creamery, Inc., 147 Princeton St.	"	"
Dad & the Boys, Inc., 225 Littleton Road.	"	"
Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294-296 Billerica Road.	"	"
Meadow Grille of Chelmsford, Inc., 100 Tyngsboro Rd.	"	"
Dean's Food, Inc., d/b/a Glenview, 248 Princeton St.	"	"
Retail Package - All alcoholic -		
Chelmsford Package Store, Inc., 149 Gorham St.	"	$900.00
Hindman's Market, Inc., 229 Chelmsford St.	"	"
North Chelmsford Wine & Liquor Co., Inc., 2 Vinal Sq.	"	"

Retail Package - Wine and Malt Beverages -
James C. Harrinton at Chelmsford Wine Shop, Inc.
37 Central Sq., Fee: $200.00
Patrick J. Murphy, d/b/a North Chelmsford Market,
39 Vinal Sq. " "

Druggist - All Alcoholic -
C. Richmond Page, d/b/a Page's Drug Store,
34 Central Sq. " $300.00

Sunday Entertainment Licenses:

Mike Zawinski, 100 Tyngsboro Road.	Fee:	State:	$50.00	Town:	$104.00
Robert E. Feehan, 248 Princeton St.	"	"	50.00	"	104.00
Joseph Giuffrida, 147 Princeton St.	"	"	50.00	"	104.00
Fred L. Gefteas, 116 Chelmsford St.	"	"	50.00	"	104.00
Charles Ballos 17-19 Vinal Sq.,	"	"	50.00	"	104.00

Common Victualer Licenses: All fees: $5.00 each.
Joseph Donovan, 67 Princeton St.
Charles Ballos, 17-19 Vinal Sq.
Lorraine E. Lachut, 2 Groton Rd.
Skip's Diner, 116 Chelmsford St.
George K. Hill, 10 Vinal Sq.
Jack's Diner, 11 Central Sq.
A. S. Bentas, Concord Road.
Paramount Lounge, 40 Vinal Sq.
Princeton Creamery, Inc., 147 Princeton St.
Dad & The Boys, 225 Littleton Road.
North Chelmsford Wine & Liquor Co., Inc., 2 Tyngsboro Road.
Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294-296 Billerica Road.
Meadow Grille, of Chelmsford, Inc., 100 Tyngsboro Road.
Dean's Food, Inc., 248 Princeton St.
Anthony Privitera, 145 Princeton St.
George McMahon, 370 North Road.

Licenses Granted.

Automatic Amusement Device License. All fees $20.00 each.
George K. Hill, 10 Vinal Sq.
Charles F. Dinnigan, 20 Vinal Sq.
Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294-296 Billerica Road.
Dean's Food, Inc., 248 Princeton St.

Auctioneer's License. Fee: $2.00
M. Edward Riney, 5 Bartlett St.

Weekday Entertainment. All fees $5.00 each.
Paramount Lounge, Inc., 40 Vinal Sq.
Dean's Food, Inc., 248 Princeton St.
Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294-296 Billerica Road.

Auto Dealer - Class I - Fee: $15.00
Roger Boyd, Inc., 40 Chelmsford St.
Auto Dealer - Class II - Fees: $15.00 each.
Robert A. Ferron, 81 Tyngsboro Road.
Orman W. Leland, 293 Chelmsford St.
George E. Gagnon, 185 Middlesex St.
Eleftherios Liakos, 133 Princeton St.
Kenneth V. Cutcliffe, 100 Chelmsford St.
Joseph Vieira, 4 Vinal Sq.
Harold C. Hurst, 112 Tyngsboro Road.
Raymond Knight & Robert F. Harrington, 123 Princeton St.
Percy T. Robinson, 25 Vinal Sq.

Licenses Granted.

Auto Dealer's - Class III - All fees: $15.00 each.
Sam Abdallah, d/b/a North Road Garage, 374 North Road.
Roger Boyd, Inc., 40 Chelmsford St.
Farley H. Kemp, d/b/a Kemp's Auto Body Shop, Sleeper St.

Conference regarding Land Taking on Billerica Road.

Atty. Walsh, M. Edward and William Riney all representing Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Bedell of Billerica Road were all present to confer with the Selectmen about the land taking between Billerica Rd. and Turnpike Rd. After much discussion the figure of $2,000. was presented to the Selectmen for their consideration. The subject was taken under advisement.

Bids for Gasoline opened.

At about 8:00 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened for the purchase of gasoline. They follow:

Esso:	Discount allowance of	.0255 per gallon.
Gulf:	" " "	.0263 " "

Vote to award contract for gasoline.

On a motion by Mr. George and then voted by both members present, it was decided to award the contract to the Gulf Oil Corp. for the ensuing year.

Inquiry re: acceptance of streets.

Mr. Charles E. Watt was present to inquire about the acceptance of Orchard Lane. He was told that the street did meet with approval and it would be placed before the voters for their acceptance.

Articles for Warrant presented to Selectmen

Messrs. Joseph Lukas, Leslie Dukeshire, Raymond Paul, Edgar Hunt, Walter Bell and Edward Baron, all representing the newly formed Chelmsford Civil Club, were present and Mr. Lukas acted as spokesman; on the following matters.

1. A group of articles were given to the Selectmen for insertion in the warrant for Annual Town Meeting.

Industrial Development Appointment discussed.

2. They requested that much study be given to the appointment of a person for the industrial development commission with the thought in mind that it should be a person with go-getting qualities.

Explosive storage license discussed.

3. They presented copies of certificates of registration for explosives at Chestnut Hill for years 1954 and 1957 pointing out the variance in name of licensee. They stated that this was a case of misrepresentation and that a hearing should be held to determine the name of the legal licensee. The Selectmen stated they would refer the matter to the Town Counsel.

Widening of Dalton Road discussed.

Mr. Robert Wildes was present regarding:

1. Dalton Road widening. Report of enginner disclosed that the town should plan to remove all trees near the dangerous curve. The Selectmen agreed to turn the matter over to the Tree Warden and St. Supt.

Release of Kiberd Dr. Performance Bond discussed.

2. Release of Performance Bond for Kiberd Drive. Mr. Wildes was referred to the Planning Board for this subject.

Date for next meeting.

The next meeting will be 12/27/57.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 16, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

The Selectmen conferred with the St. Supt. Frederick R. Greenwood about the Highway Department budget.

Conference with St. Supt.

Later the board worked on the sundry bundgets under their own direct supervision.

Selectmen work on '58 Budgets.

Later, on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George and voted by all members, it was voted that the All Alcoholic Beverages Restaurant License for the Lion's Den, Inc., be suspended for the remainder of this year 1957 and that the 1958 renewal license be also suspended indefinitely and that the suspension for 1957 and for 1958 be suspended until further action is taken by the Board of Selectmen.

License for Lion's Den Suspended. Then the Suspension Suspended.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 20, 1957.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

The board members met privately with the various persons from whom land was taken for road purposes along Billerica Road, to determine if land damage claims would be made against the town. The various persons, as follows, were present.

Selectmen meet with land owners re: Land Takings on Billerica Road.

At 8:00 P.M: Mrs. Eliza J. Hannaford, represented by Atty. Warren Allgrove. A request of $2,940.00 was made.

At 8:15 P.M. Francis J. & Marelyn Lovering and Charles Dorr. Represented by Atty. Leggatt and a request was made for $500.00 for the Lovering Family only.

At 8:30 P.M. Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. (Prior to the appointed time, Mr. Ridlon of the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. notified the Recording Clerk, Alfred H. Coburn, that the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. would not present a claim against the town.)

At 8:45 P.M. Benjamin and Ralph R. Cole. Mr. Ralph R. Cole was present only and a request for $1,200.00 was made.

At 9:00 P.M. Raymond Pickard, represented by Atty. Warren Allgrove and a request for $3,161.50 was made.

Conferences with each of the parties involved.

Also Mr. Walter Bedell was represented by Atty. Walsh and a request for $2,000. was made; similar to the one made previously at a regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen.

Mr. George acted as Recording Clerk pro-tem for this meeting.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 27, 1957.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, and Mr. McAndrew were present. Mr. George was not present.

Warrants Approved.

Warrant #108, dated 12/31/57 for $327.70 approved and signed.
Warrant,# 1, dated 1/ 2/58 for $12,028.33 approved and signed.

Jurors Drawn.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, two jurors were drawn for service in Cambridge:

By Mr. Hart: Laforrest V. Brown, 138 Dalton Road.
By Mr. McAndrew: Carl A. E. Peterson, Park Road.

Conference with the Attorneys of Ramsbotham Estate re: License of the Lion's Den, Inc.

Atty. Robert Goldman, representing Atty. William T. Sheppard, Atty. Edward J. DeSaulnier, Jr., representing Albert Tareila, and Atty. Baker with his client, Mr. McCann, all present to discuss the license for the Lion's Den, Inc. and theapproval of a new owner; possibly Mr. McCann. Atty. DeSaulnier stated that Mr. Tareila and the other directors had all resigned and the resignations would be placed in writing. He also stated that Mr. Tareila did not wish to be the owner under the present conditions and the prevailing atmosphere. An inquiry was made as to the time limit to find and approve a new owner. No deadline was set to affect the change; and a reasonable length of time would be allowed.

Sealed Bid for Printing Town Report opened and contract awarded.

In the presence of Mr. James Sullivan, Sealed Bid for the Printing of the Town Report was opened. There was one bid and it was from Sullivan Brothers, Printers for $10.75 per page for 4,200 copies to be available on or prior to Feb. 28th, 1958. On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Hart, it was voted by the majority to award the contract to Sullivan Bros.

Pole Location Abandonment signed.

Petition for the Abandonment of 1 Pole Location on C Street, C-7887, dated 12/6/57, by the NET&TC. and Merr. Essex Elec. Co. signed by the members present.

Certification of Incorporators signed by Selectmen

Certificate of character for new corporations were signed for:
Charles M. Yarid, 165 Chelmsford St., (Veterans of All Nations Club, Inc.)
Alfred Nickerson, 38 Ledge Road, (Electronic Tech. Guild of Mass., Inc.)

Conference with Civil Defense Committee re: 1958 Budget & Salary for Members.

The Civil Defense Committee, Bertram T. Needham, William Edge and Charles Koulas, were present to discuss their budget requests for 1958. They discussed the possibility of inserting a Salary Item for the Committee and it was decided that this matter should be submitted promptly to the Personnel Board and Finance Committee. Then the various phases of the expense items were discussed.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 15, 1958.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

The meeting commenced at 8:00 P.M.

Mrs. Margaret R. Mills was present as an observer in behalf of the League of Women Voters. She at this time requested that the League be permitted to receive a copy of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting. The request was granted and the Recording Clerk was so notified to instruct the Town Counsel to make a copy available to this organization.

Representative of League of Women Voters present to observe.

A hearing was held at 8:00 P.M. on the petition of the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. and the NET&TCo. for 2 Joint Pole Locations on Evergreen St. and 2 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on the same street. C-7894, dated 12/23/57. No persons were present to object and the petition was signed.

Petition & Hearing for Pole Locatns.

Several articles for the Warrant of Annual Town Meeting were received and all will be forwarded to the Town Counsel.

Articles for ATMeeting Warrant read.

A legal opinion from the Town Counsel regarding the license to store explosives at Chestnut Hill by Thomas Sugden. The opinion stated that he felt the Certificates of Registration for several years were in order and that there was no need for a hearing on the question.

Legal Opinion re: license for explosives read.

Petition for the repairs and improvements of Holt Street read and to be forwarded to the Street Supt.

Holt Street Repair Petition.

Edward H. Rooney, 18 Frank Street, North Chelmsford, was appointed as an Auxiliary Police Officer for Civil Defense.

CD Aux. Police Off. appointed.

Bids for Rock Salt for Highway Dept. were opened at 8:30 P.M. They follow:

1. Chemical Corp.	Blk:	$15.50	per ton.
2. Eastern Minerals	"	15.95	" "
3. International Salt Co.	"	15.50	" "

No action taken to award the contract. Bids to be forwarded to Street Supt. for his study and advisement.

Bids for Rock Salt Opened.

Articles for the Warrant were then discussed.

ATMeeting Warrant discussed.

It was decided that the next regular meeting would be held Jan. 31st and a special meeting on Jan. 21st.

Next meetings set.

Bids for Purchase of Police Cruiser to be opened 2/14/58.

Sealed Bids to be rec'd for Police Cruisers.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

On January 21, 1958 all members of the Board of Selectmen met with members of the Finance Committee to discuss budgets of the various departments under supervision of the Board of Selectmen.

Selectmen meet with Finance Committee.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 31, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Request for Miniature Golf Course License.

A letter to Mr. George E. Gagnon was prepared and signed that the Selectmen would later during 1958 approve a license for a miniature golf course on Middlesex St., if such application complied with the one recently approved by the Board of Appeals.

Application To Peddle

Application to Peddle was signed by the Selectmen for Robert Charles Yates, 21A Stedman St., Chelmsford, Mass.

Certificate of Character for Incorp. signed.

Certificate of Character for Frederick E. Smith 40 Fifth Ave., South Chelmsford, an incorporator of the Mass. Locksmith Assn., Inc., signed by the Selectmen, after receipt of a report of the Police Chief.

Application for Liquor Club License Received.

Officers of the American Legion Post 313, Roy H. Massey, Comm., Donald Rafferty, Terrence O'Rourke and George Matley, were present to place an application for an All Alcoholic Common Victualer Club License for the post before the Selectmen. The procedure to follow was outlined by the Recording Clerk.

Members of League of Women Voters present.

Four ladies of the League of Women Voters were present to observe the procedure of a meeting of the Selectmen.

Buried telephone cable hearing conducted.

At 8:00 P.M. a Hearing was held on the application of the NET&TC. for permission to place approx. 334 ft. of buried cable at Central St., and approx. 100 ft. of buried cable along North Road, #435, dated 12/26/57. There were no abutters present to object. Then the petition was signed by all members.

Underground conduit hearing conducted.

At 8:15 P.M. a Hearing was held on the application of the NET&TC. for permission to place approx. 211 ft. of underground conduit along North Road, Plan #437, dated 1/3/58. Mr. John Freeman, a member of the Central Congregational Curch Prudential Committee, was present but did not object to the petition upon examining the plan available. Then the petition was signed by all members.

Notice of Hearings for DPU read.

Two notices from the DPU were received as follows:

1. Hearing for Eastern Mass. St. Railray rates. Mr. George stated he would attend this hearing in Boston.
2. Hearing for the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. re: borrowing.

Underground conduit hearing conducted.

At 8:30 P.M. a Hearing was held on the application of the NET&TC. for permission to place approx. 396 ft. of underground conduit across North Rd. at Fletcher St., #434, dated 1/3/58. No objectors were present. The petition was then signed by all members.

Date for street hearings set.

It was decided to hold the Street Hearings on 2/17/58, commencing at 7:00 P.M. and the next regular meeting on 2/14/58.

Treas & Tax Collector's Bonds set.

Letter from Tax Commissioner stating Treasurer bond to be $52,000. and Tax Collector bond to be $56,300. read and to be forwarded to Mrs. DeWolf.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
February 14, 1958.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

A group of residents from Asbury Street, East Chelmsford, met with the Selectmen regarding the improvement of road conditions. The Selectmen explained that the town could do very little to improve conditions until the street is accepted and that the residents should have had plans prepared for acceptance at the town meeting. Mr. Hart stated finally that we would confer with the bank authorities to determine if some responsibility for present conditions could be referred to the developer.

Residents of Asbury Street request information as to acceptance of the street.

Sealed Bids were opened at 8:10 P.M. for the purchase of three police department cruisers. Those present included:
Representative from Lowell Motor Sales.
Representative from Roger Boyd, Inc.

Opened by Mr. Hart:	Lowell Motor Sales	$3,855.60	for three.
Opened by Mr. George:	Roger Boyd, Inc.	2,991.00	for three.
Opened by Mr. McAndrew:	Pierce Fod Sales.	4,600.00	for three.

The bids were taken under advisement.

Sealed Bids for Police Cruisers Opened.

Bids Tabled.

It was stated that previously Mrs. Emily Peake had been appointed as Deputy Warden for Precinct 1, to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of Mary Hart.

Election Officer Appointed.

Resignation of LaForrest E. Field as Janitor to be effective March 14, 1958 received and accepted.

Resignation of LaForrest Field as Janitor recd.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted to proclaim the month of March 1958 as Scholarship Fund Month for the Town of Chelmsford, per request of the Town of Chelmsford Scholarship Fund, Inc.

Board votes that March '58 be Scholarship Month.

Chapter 90, Turnpike Road Relocation Contract for the State Dept. of Public Works signed by all members of the Board.

It was decided to hold the next meeting on Feb. 28th.

Chap.90 Turnpike Rd. contract signed.

Students from Simmons College will be invited to attend the next meeting, per request in writing of Miss Tricia Cassidy.

Invitation to be extended to students to attend mtg.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen; Feb. 17, 1958.
Mr. Hart, Chairman, & Mr. George were present.
Street Hearings, as required by law, were conducted as follows:

Special Meeting Conductd.

1. At 7:00 P.M; on Acceptance of Kiberd Drive -
   Walter E. Allen, Richard A. Hebert, John R. Kelly, Edward J. Robbins, Arthur R. Cormier, Sara L. Pheeney, Herbert A. Lyon, Jr. and Lloyd W. & Irene F. Benoit were present. No one objected to the acceptance. The layout was signed.

Street Hearings held.

2. At 7:15 P.M. on Acceptance of Wildes Road - Sabatino R. Monaco, Lee C. Calderwood, Clyde B. Doolittle, Jr., Jerry A. Morris and William J. Collins. There were no objections to the acceptance. The layout was then signed.

3. At 7:30 P.M. on Acceptance of Southgate Road - Edward M. Reny, Leo J. Langlais and John Podgorni were present. No one objected to the acceptance. The layout was then signed.

4. At 7:40 P.M. on Acceptance of Latch Road, (Westerly end of Southgate and Northgate Roads) - Leo J. Langlais, Harold L. & Jessie L. Evans. There were no objections although there was a discussion as to proper name of the street. The layout was then signed.

5. At 7:50 P.M. on Acceptance of Kenwood Street - Ralph E. House, Edward J. Giers, Dorothy L. Wilcox, Wendel J. Clifford and John A. Bradley were present. There were no objections. The layout was signed.

Street Hearings Conducted.

6. At 8:00 P.M. on Acceptance of Aberdeen Road - Bruce C. Center, Edgar L. Jr. & Elizabeth D. Van Cott were present. There were no objections. The layout was signed.

7. At 8:10 P.M. on Acceptance of Orchard Lane - Charles E. Watt, Edgar P. Dana and Charles E. Watt, Jr, were present. There were no objections. It was stated that no more street lights were desired on this street. The layout was then signed.

8. At 8:20 P.M. on Acceptance of Fairbanks Road - No abutters were present, and thus there were no objections. The layout was signed.

9. At 8:30 P.M. on Acceptance of Forrest Street - Harold White, Theodore A. Ollson, Jr., Noel L. Breault, Marshall H. Carpenter, Zavon A. Kludjian and Christy J. Kouropoulos were present. There were no objections. The layout was signed.

10. At 8:40 P.M. on Acceptance of Colonial Drive - There were no abutters present, and thus there were no objections. The layout was signed.

11. At 8:50 P.M. on Acceptance of Hemlock Drive - Stephen C. Burliss, Arthur C. Antonopoulos and Harold L. & Jessie L. Evans were present. There were no objections and the layout was signed.

12. At 9:00 P.M. on Acceptance of Bowl Road - There were no abutters present, and thus there were no objections. The layout was signed.

13. At 9:10 P.M. on Acceptance of Rainbow Avenue - Raymond H. & Charlotte W. Allaby and Howard T. McGaughey were present. There were no objections. The layout was signed.

14. At 9:20 P.M. on Acceptance of Sunrise Avenue - Howard T. McGaughey was present. There were no objections and the layout was signed.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
February 28, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. Hart, Chairman, and Mr. McAndrew were present.
Mr. George was unable to be present.

The following-listed hearings were conducted:

1. At 8:00 P.M. on petition of Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. and NET&TC. for permission to place one jointly owned pole on Academy Street, C-7922, dated 2/10/58. The petition was signed.

Pole Location Hearings Conducted.

2. At 8:15 P.M. on the petition of the NET&TC. for 1 Pole Location on North Road, #438, dated 1/31/58. The petition was signed.

3. At 8:30 P.M. on the petition of the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. and NET&TC. for 5 jointly owned poles on Westford Street, C-7921, dated 2/10/58. The petition was signed.

4. At 8:45 P.M. on the petition of the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. for 2 Joinly-owned pole locations and 2 Jointly owned Pole Location Abandonments on Chamberlain Road, C-7912, dated 1/24/58. The petition was signed.

Board of Selectmen
by Robert F. McAndrew,
Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
March 1, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Mr.Hart, Chairman were present.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it wasvoted unanimously to grant an All Alcoholic Club License to the American Legion, Alberton W. Vinal Post 313, Inc. Groton Road, North Chelmsford.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to establish a fee of $100.00 for All Alcoholic Club Licenses.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, Bradford C. Emerson was appointed Warden for Precinct 1.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint Henry Dunigan as Warden for Precinct 2.

Board of Selectmen
by Edgar P. George, Clerk.

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen.
March 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Chairman elected.

Mr. George was voted as Chairman of the Board, on a motion by Mr. Greenwood and seconded by Mr. McAndrew.

Welfare Chairman elected.

Mr. McAndrew was voted as Chairman of the Board of Public Welfare.

Clerk elected.

Mr. Greenwood was voted as Clerk of the Board of Selectmen. on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew..
On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was unanimously voted to allow the Box 7 Associates to install a Coca-Cola machine at C.Tn.Hall.

Board of Selectmen
by Raymond H. Greenwood,
Clerk of the Board.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 18, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Reading of minutes waived.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to waive the reading of the minutes.

Request that suspension votes be revoked for the Lion's Den. Inc.

Atty. Robert Goldman, representing the Estate of Erlin Ramsbotham, Atty. Edward J. DeSaulnier, Jr, representing The Lion's Den, Inc. and Albert Tareila, were all present and Atty. Goldman requested thatthe original proceedings as to suspensions, etc. be dismissed and that a transfer of ownership now be made. Atty. DeSaulnier stated that Mr. Albert Tareila now owns all the shares and he too asked that previous action be revoked. They both stated that they had found it impossible to locate a purchaser for the business; that Mr. Tareila had managed the business creditbly well for several months and that the time was at hand to consider him for complete ownership. Then the Selectmen, with Mr. George as spokesman, stated they would consider the request.

Vote to revoke suspensions; approve sale of stock. and appointment of manager.

Later in the evening, on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was unanimously voted to revoke all previous suspension action. Also, on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted to approve and allow the sale of 100% ofthe stock of the Lion's Den, Inc. to Albert Tareila. Then, on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to allow and approve Albert Tareila as manager.

Request for permission to operate a Cab Co. grented.

Mr. Robert Connell was present to request that he be granted permission to operate the Chelmsford Cab Co., as he had recently purchased the firm from the previous owner, Mr. Tousignant. On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greeenwood, it was voted unanimously to approve this change ofownership and allow Mr. Connell to conduct the business as has been the custom in the past.

Water Drainage problem discussed with Mr. Noyes of Acton Road.

Mr. Andrew H. Noyes, whose address is 35 Acton Road, Chelmsford, appeared and stated that he had a water drainage problem with much water backing up on his land, perhaps due to a clogged drain and culvert under Acton Road. The members stated that they would like to view the premises and they will then notify and instruct the St. Supt. of their decision. Mr. Noyes asked to be notified of the board's decision.

Mr. Allan Kidder, Fire Chief, was present to inform the Selectmen that the specifications were available for the purchase of a Pumping Engine for his department. It was decided to advertise a call for bids, and at such time to include the four pieces of Highway Equipment..

Fire Chief informs Selectmen Fire Truck Specifictns available.

Raymond T. Osborn was present to ask advice of the Selectmen regarding a new development which he is about to open up. He stated that land in and around Hornbeam Road, formerly a town road, was about to be subdivided and he and his attorney had never been able to find where the town had abandoned the road years ago and which is now covered with trees and brush. He asked permission to cut down the trees. The Selectmen then decided to forward a request to the Town Counsel for his advice. A plan of the land was left with the Selectmen for the Town Counsel to use.

Opening up of abandoned road by Mr. Osborn & legal advice requested.

The Civil Service Appointment Notices were then signed for the appointment of two Permanent Intermittent Officers for the Police Dept., at $1.50 per hour, effective 4/1/58:

1. Thomas A. Palmer, 2 Swain Road.
2. Donald J. Butler, 5 Erlin Road.

Permanent Intermittent Police Officers Appointed.

The Street Supt., Frederick R. Greenwood, was present and conferred with the Selectmen about the plans for the Chapter 90, New Construction work on Stedman Street. Mr. Greenwood stated it would be in the best interest of the town to have his department do the work, under state and county supervision rather than allow the work to go out to public contract. The Selectmen approved this request. Approval was granted, in a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, and voted unanimously.

Plans for Chapter 90 Reconstructn of Stedman St. discussed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for the purchase of the police cruisers to Roger Boyd, Inc. at rate of $997.00 each and a total of $2,991.00 for all three, per bid received.

Vote to purchase two police cruisers.

The following-listed licenses were granted:

SUNDAY ENTERTAINMENT: Fees $4.00 per Sunday -
Chelmsford Drive-In, Inc., by S. Joseph Solomont, Treasurer
Route 110, Littleton Rd., from 4/20/58 to 10/5/58.
Total of 25 Sundays. Fee: $ 50.00 total. (No state fee.)

SUNDAY LICENSE: Fee: $4.00 per year.
John Earl, d/b/a Dairy Queen, 110 Tyngsboro Road.

COMMON VICTUALER: Fee: $5.00 each per year.
John Earl, d/b/a Dairy Queen, 110 Tyngsboro Road.
Chelmsford Drive-In, Inc., S. Joseph Solomont, Treasurer,
Littleton Road, Chelmsford.
American Legion, Alberton W. Vinal Post 313, Inc.
Groton Road, North Chelmsford.

THEATER LICENSE: Fee: $300.00 (Renewal)
Chelmsford Drive-In, Inc., S. Joseph Solomont, Treasurer.
Route 110, Littleton Road, Chelmsford.

AUTOMATIC AMUSEMENT DEVICE LICENSE: Fee: $20.00 per year.
American Legion, Alberton W. Vinal Post 313, Inc.
Groton Road, North Chelmsford.

Licenses Granted.

Application of appointment to Ind.Dev. Comm.

Suggest new private phone number to notify MECo. during emgcy.

Mr. Bertram T. Needham was present and made application for appointment to the Industrial Development Commission and he also called attention to the fact that the Police Dept., have no way of contacting the LEL Corp. during an emergency when wires might have fallen, as the utility company sometimes will not accept calls at such a time. He suggested that the utility company should have a special unlisted phone for such an emergency. The Selectmen later stated they would confer with the Police Chief before taking any action on such a request.

Auxiliary Police Officers appointed.

Then two Auxiliary Police Officers for Civil Defense were appointed as follows:

1. Charles F. Taylor, Jr., 214 Graniteville Road.
2. Franklin J. Prescott, 121 Riverneck Road.

Builders Risk Insurance for new High School placed with various agents.

After a short discussion, on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was unanimously voted to place Builders Risk Insurance on the new High School, now being constructed, per recommendations from Insurance Advisory Committee, by Roger Welch, as follows:

1.	Thru	Mr. William J. Hennessy:	$ 450,000.
2.	"	Mr. Carl A. E. Peterson:	450,000.
3.	"	Mr. Henrick F. Johnson:	450,000.
4.	"	Mr. Donald J. Ennis:	450,000.
		Total coverage:	$ 1,800,000.

Annual Appointments

Then the following-listed appointments were made:

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint:

		Terms Expire:
Board of Selectmen Recording Clerk:	Alfred H. Coburn.	1959.
" " " Financial Clerk:	Frances B. Cummings.	1959.
Superintendent of Streets:	Frederick R. Greenwood.	1959.
Registrar of Voters:	Edward T. Brick	1961.
Janitor of Center Town Hall:	Thomas Elliott.	1959.
" " North Town Hall:	Joseph L. Larocque.	1959.
Moth Superintendent:	Myles J. Hogan	1959.
Zoning Appeal Board - Regular Member:	Paul A. O'Neil	1963.

Veterans' Emergency Fund Committee:
George S. Archer, Joseph J. Sadowski, Perry T. Snow
John McNulty, George F. Waite, Alfred H. Coburn
All terms expire: 1959.

Civil Defense Committee:
Bertram T. Needham, William Edge, Charles S. Koulas.
All terms expire: 1959.

Honor Roll Committee:
Robert M. Hood, George R. Dixon, Thomas E. Firth, Jr.
All terms expire: 1959.

Industrial Development Commission:
Arthur L. Bennett, Term expires: 1959.
Claude J. Harvey, " " 1960.
Leslie H. Adams, " " 1960.

Highway Garage Committee:
Thomas W. Sugden, Edward C. Dryden, Armand J. Nadeau
Frederick C. Field, Arthur Pratt
(Term expires at completion of work and report at Town Meeting.)

Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to nominate:
Dr. Winslow E. Merrill as Inspector of Animals.

Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint:

Annual Appointmts.

Supt. of Burials of Indigent Soldiers & Sailors: Term expires
Cortlandt J. Burkinshaw, 1959.
Zoning Appeals Board - Alternate Members:
Eliot W. Remick, Bruce N. Freeman, James C. Robinson, 1959

Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood and seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted by the majority only to appoint:

Veterans' Agent: Terrence O'Rourke, Term expires: 1959.

Special Police Officers appointed.

Then on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint the roster of Special Police Officers, as presented by the Police Chief, for duty at Schools, VIM Beach, Private and Highway Duty, North Town Hall and Town Dump and also in event of Emergency, Officers from the Towns of Westford, Billerica and Tyngsboro and the City of Lowell, per list on file.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Mar. 27, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Bldg. Insp appointed.

On a motion by Mr. and seconded by Mr. it was voted unanimously to appoint Joseph Demers, 146 Main St., West Chelmsford as Building Inspector, effective April 1, 1958.

Dog Officer apptd.

On a motion by Mr. and seconded by Mr. it was voted unanimously to appoint Frank Wojtas as Dog Officer.

Town Counsel appointed.

On a motion by Mr. and seconded by Mr. it was voted unanimously to appoint Judge John H. Valentine as Town Counsel.

Board of Selectmen
by Raymond J. Greenwood,
Clerk.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 1, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew & Mr. Greenwood were present.

Applicants for Bldg. Permit referred to new Bldg. Insp

Two applicants for a Building Permit appeared before the Selectmen and they were referred to Mr. Joseph Demers, the Building Inspector.

Dog Nuisance petition.

Petition from various persons regarding a dog complaint was referred to the Dog Officer, Mr. Wojtas, for his investigation and report.

Animal Insp. appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint Dr. Winslow E. Merrill as Animal Inspector.

Pole Location Hearing.

At 7:45 P.M. a Hearing was held on the petition of the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. and NET&TCo. No. C#7923 dated, 2/12/58 for 6 Joint Pole Locations on Littleton Road. Mr. Francis J. Sheehan was present and inquired if any of the older shade trees would be removed. The Selectmen assured him that they would notify the companies and the Tree Warden that caution should be exercised in removal of trees. Then the petition was signed.

In the presence of about twenty-one persons,
At 8:00 P.M. in the upper hall, Sealed Bids were opened for:

Sealed Bids for Fire Engine Opened.

Contract for purchase of Fire Engine awarded.

1. Fire Department Pumper
   Maxim Co., for $20,789.42
   Later on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was unanimously voted to award the contract for the new fire engine to Maxim Motor Co. A representative was present and contracts were signed at this time by all the parties.

Bids opened for purchase of Tractors, Dump Truck Chassis & Cab and Pickup Truck.

2. *Tractors (2)

Andover Tractors, Inc.	$7,630.00	Fisk-Alden Co.	$7,046.40
Frank Goddard & Sons.	7,452.51	Fisk-Alden Co.	6,558.40
J. Therrien, Inc.	6,976.64	R.W.Thayer T.Co.	6,995.00
Shawsheen Eq. Co., Inc.	7,255.00	Sandberg Eq. Co.	6,995.00
E. K. Willard	7,190.00	" " "	6,290.00
Nine-Acre Farm Supp, Inc.	6,300.00	Wm. A. Mears	7,220.00
H. F. Davis Tractor Co.	6,209.60	Clyde Everett	8,950.00
" " " " "	7,560.00	Wm. A. Mears	6,935.00

3. *Truck, Chassis, and Cab.

Eastern Truck Sales, Inc.	$7,200.00
R. A. Beauchemin	6,340.00
Roger Boyd, Inc.	6,569.00
Lowell Motor Sales, Inc.	6,079.99
Cunningham Garage, Inc.	6,990.00
Manzi Dodge of Lowell, Inc.	6,294.00
Lawrence Mack Sales,	6,945.00

4. *Pickup Truck

Roger Boyd, Inc.	$1,295.00;	R.A.Beauchemin	$1,590.00
Eastern Truck Sales	1,707.75	Cunningham's	1,640.00
Lowell Motor Sales	1,296.02	Manzi Dodge	1,449.00

Items marked with "*" mean bids taken under advisement.

Poppy Day for 5/23,24 to be permitted.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to permit the American Legion Posts to observe Poppy Day on May 23rd and May 24th.

Street Acceptance Regulations.

Messrs. Greenwood and McAndrew both asked the Recording Clerk for copies of the Street Acceptance Regulations and also that another copy be mailed to Mr. Anthony M. Vaccaro, 29 McFarlin Road.

Closing of Westford St. for Harvest Festival granted.

The Selectmen unanimously approved a request of the First Congregational Society of Unitarian for permission to close Westford Street for their Harvest Festival during September 1958 and both Fire & Police Departments to be so notified.

Discussion & vote to fill Treas & Tax Collector positions.

Then a long discussion ensued regarding the Town Treasurer-Tax Collector position with letters being read from Attorneys Ready and Allgrove in behalf of their respective clients and a legal opinion from the Town Counsel stating he believed the position to be vacant due to original appointment on a temporary basis of Mrs. DeWolf being defective. Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was unanimously voted to appoint Walter Wilkins, Jr. as Temporary Town Treasurer and Tax Collector.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 2, 1958.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present. Also Frederick R. Greenwood, Street Supt. was present.

Members present.

It was voted to award the contract for the purchase of two tractors for the Highway Dept. to the Fisk-Alden Co. in the amount of $6,600.00 per proposal #1 of Sealed Bid.

Contract awarded for Highway Dept. Tractors.

It was voted to award the contract for the purchase of the Truck, Chassis and Cab to the Lowell Motor Sales, Inc. for the amount of $6,079.99 per Sealed Bid.

Contract awarded for Highway Dept. Truck Chassis and cab.

It was voted to award the contract for the purchase of the Pick-up Truck from Roger Boyd, Inc. for $1,295.00 per bid received.

Contract awarded for Pick Up Truck for Highway Dept.

Board of Selectmen
by Raymond J. Greenwood,
Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 15, 1958.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

The following-listed licenses were granted:

SUNDAY LICENSES; All renewals. Fees: $4.00 each.

1. George K. Hill, 10 Vinal Sq., North Chelmsford.
2. John B. Wrigley, at Varney Playground, North Chelmsford.
3. " " " at Central Sq., Chelmsford.
4. Charles Ballos, 17-19 Vinal Sq., North Chelmsford.
5. John J. McEnaney, 65 Middlesex St., " "
6. Timothy Emanouil, Littleton Road, Chelmsford.
7. Sam Abdallah, 374 North Road, North Chelmsford.
8. Arthur & Charles Gordon, 93 Chelmsford St., Chelmsford.
9. George Swallow, 66 Middlesex St., North Chelmsford.
10. John Kydd & Sons, Inc., 116 Chelmsford St., "
11. C. Richmond Page, 35 Central Sq., Chelmsford.
12. Frost & Co., Vinal Sq., North Chelmsford,
13. Frank W., Frank E. & Susan E. Mason, 270 Littleton Road, Chelmsford.
14. William F. Grogan, 175 Dalton Road, Chelmsford.
15. Ella M. Strick, 173 Chelmsford St., "
16. Robert A. Capella, 108 Concord Road, "
17. John Earl, 110 Tyngsboro Road, North Chelmsford.
18. William Vaipan, 30 Chelmsford St., Chelmsford.
19. A. S. Bentas, Concord Road, Chelmsford.
20. Fred L. Gefteas, 116 Chelmsford St., Chelmsford.
21. Wilfred Pare, 114 Gorham St., East Chelmsford.
22. Gladys A. Leslie, 249 Boston Road, Chelmsford.
23. Charles J. Connor & John L. Fish, 148 Groton Road, North Chelmsford.
24. Lulack M. Jamros, Groton Road, North Chelmsford.
25. John R. Kydd, 11 Central Sq., Chelmsford.
26. Arthur P. Kirk, 213 Princeton St., North Chelmsford.
27. Carl Ulricson, 54 Chelmsford St., Chelmsford.
28. Mrs. Theodore P. Chianis, 273 Chelmsford St., Chelmsford.
29. George Marchand, Jr., 320 Acton Road, South Chelmsford, Mass.
30. Nicholas Emanouil, 8 Littleton Road, Chelmsford.

Licenses Granted.

Licenses Granted.

JUNK COLLECTOR'S LICENSES; All Renewals; Fees: $5.00 each.
1. Ernest Dureault, 198 Tyngsboro Road, North Chelmsford.
2. Mel Gladstone, 737 Boston Road, Billerica,
3. Eric A. Forsten, 24 Grand St., Lowell.
4. Edward R. Dixon, 24 Edgewood Road, Tewksbury.

COMMON VICTUALER LICENSE: Renewal; Fee: $5.00.
1. Arthur & Charles Gordon, 93 Chelmsford St., Chelmsford.

BOWLING ALLEY LICENSE: Renewal. Fee: $30.00
1. Charles F. Dinnigan, 20 Vinal Sq., North Chelmsford.

School Committee request permission to use North Town Hall for school sessions.

The School Committee members, Allan D. Davidson and Henrick R. Johnson and School Supt. Thomas L. Rivard, were present and they requested permission to use the North Town Hall for three classrooms commencing Sept. 1958, if necessary. Mr. McAndrew, made a motion, and Mr. Greenwood seconded the motion, and it was unanimously voted to grant the School Committee this permission.

Conference with Ins. Advisory Committee re: Ins. coverage.

Then Mr. Henrick R. Johnson advised the Selectmen on various insurance matters and Mr. Johnson finally stated that he would arrange to have a meeting of the Insurance Advisory Committee and they, in turn, would advise the Selectmen about Windstorm Coverage, the advisability of carrying a Fidelity Blanket Bond for Town Employees and Automobile Non-Ownership Coverage and F&Theft coverage for town vehicles.

Report on dog nuisance complaint by Dog Officer.

The Dog Officer, Frank Wojtas, appeared and reported that he had talked personally with the owner of a dog, Mrs. Potvin, regarding the signed petition calling attention to a dog nuisance and he advised her to keep the dog restrained.

Request for assistance with drainage problem.

Messrs. Dawes, Fallon and Robert Greenwood were present to request that the Selectmen take some suitable action to correct drainage difficulties at Northgate Road and North Road. After listening to the discussion the members stated that they would view the premises and then refer their recommendations to the Street Supt.

Sealed Bids for Highway Dept. Supplies opened and read.

At 8:30 P.M., in the presence of five company representatives Sealed Bids were opened for the purchase of supplies for the Highway Dept., and later all bids were forwarded to the St. Supt for his study.

Janitor at CTH requests permission to have maximum pay for his work.

Mr. Thomas Elliott, Janitor of Center Town Hall, appeared before the Selectmen and requested that the salary be raised to the maximum for him as he felt the minimum rate now being paid was inadequate considering the duties and the many extra things he has been doing to improve conditions and appearance at the hall. It was finally decided to request the Personnel Board to study this subject and offer the Selectmen their recommendations.

Fire Chief confers with Board re: South& West Fire Station Entrances.

Mr. Allan Kidder was present and called the Board's attention to the need for widening and improving both the West and South station entrances so that the new trucks for each station could enter and leave the stations easily. It was decided to refer the problem of costs for such a project to the Finance Committee or, if a town meeting is scheduled, to the voters.

Veterans' Agt. req. maximum pay. Request denied.

Mr. Terrence O'Rourke was present to request that the salary of the Veterans' Agent be raised to the maximum appropriated and after a discussion on the merits of the request, it was decided by Messrs George and Greenwood to keep the salary for Mr. O'Rourke at the present minimum rate.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint James W. Midgley of 17 Dunstan Road, East Chelmsford, Mass.

Wiring Inspector appointed.

Legal opinion regarding the opening up of an abandoned roadway by Raymond T. Osborn read and it was decided to confer with the Town Counsel about the matter.

Selectmen to confer with Town Counsel re opening of abandoned roadway.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was unanimously voted to appoint the following-named persons as weighers of merchandise at the Geo. C. Moore Wool Scouring Mills: J. Henry Duffy, Thomas Miskell, Frederick W. Knox, Francis J. Sakalinski, Mederic Tousignant, John J. Hehir, Clark Dixon, Warren Mansur, James W. Coughlin, Elfstrom V. Johnson, Arthur Soucy and Edgar Theriault.

Weighers of Merchandise appointed.

Application for Used Car License from Joseph Starr to be retunned to the applicant for additional information.

Application for Used Car License to be retnd. to applicant.

Petition for transfer of two poles on Fletcher Street and one pole on Middlesex St., from the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. to the NET&TCo., C#7947, dated 3/25/58, signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Petition of transfer of Pole Locatns.

It was decided to place advertisement in newspapers for warning to owners and keepers of unrestrained dogs.

Do Restraining adv. to appear.

Letter from the Police Chief read regarding the need for completion of Route 3, and traffic tie-ups at Vinal Sq., read and it was decided that a personal visit with the Comm. of Public Works was most necessary and the Recording Clerk was requested to ask Senator Edw. DeSaulnier, Jr. to make an appointment in the near future. It was suggested that various town officials be invited to attend, such as the Selectmen of Tyngsboro.

Route 3 tie up at Vinal Sq. and Nortnward discussed.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 24, 1958.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present

To fill the vacancy created by the decline of appointment by Walter R. Wilkins, Jr., to Treasurer and Tax Collector, a motion was made by Raymond J. Greenwood, and seconded by Robert F. McAndrew to rescind the previous appointment and then a unanimous vote followed. Then on a motion by Raymond J. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew it was voted unanimously to appoint Charlotte P. DeWolf as Temporary Treasurer and Tax Collector.

Vote to rescind previous appointment of Temp. Treas.&Tax. Collector & vote to appoint Mrs. DeWolf.

Then it was voted to proclaim May 12th thru May 18, 1958 as Chelmsford Junior Chamber of Commerce Safety Week.

Junior Chamber of Commerce Safety Week approved.

Board of Selectmen
by Raymond J. Greenwood,
Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 1, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Licenses Granted.

The following-listed licenses were granted:
AUCTIONEER'S LICENSES: Renewals. Fee; $2.00 each.
1. Bradford O. Emerson, 143 High St.,
2. Eliot Wickham Remic,, 219 Westford St.,
3. Theodore W. Emerson, 11, North Road.,
JUNK COLLECTOR'S LICENSE: RENEWAL, Fee: $5.00/ each.
1. Warren Henderson, 25 Manahan St.,
2. Giles L. Whitney, 567 Princeton Blvd., Lowell.
SUNDAY LICENSES, Renewals, Fees: $4.00 each.
1. Harold C. Hurst, 112 Tyngsboro Road.
2. Lorraine Lachut, 1 Groton Road,
3. Anthony Privitera, 145 Princeton St.
4. George Cummings, 188 Princeton St.
5. Orman W. Leland, 293 Chelmsford St.
6. Eleftherios Liakos, 133 Princeton St.
7. Fred Fantozzi, 1-9 Princeton St.,
8. James F. Eaton, Boston and Acton Roads.
9. Mrs. Nelson's Candy House, 292 Chelmsford S t.
10. Catherine Secor, 75 Middlesex St.,
11. Joseph A. Thiffault, 206 Boston Road.

Warrants signed, and approved.

Warrant No. 47, dated 5/2/58 for $2,000.47 signed and approved.
" " 48, " " " 5,463.65 " " "
" " 49, " " " 333.32 " " "

Violations of License to Store Explosives cited.

Messrs. Joseph Lukas and Edward Baron were present and called the Board's attention to the fact that explosives were presently be stored on premises at Chestnut Hill in violation of state and town law. They turned over to the Chairman, Mr. George, their specific charges in writing and Mr. George stated that the matter would be sent to counsel immediately for investigation.

Conference regarding Off-Street Parking and Parking Meters with Planning Board Members.

Messrs. Claude J. Harvey and Allan Ludwig, members of the Planning Board and committee for town parking facilities reported that they had been studying the project and felt that a joint meeting was now feasible with the Selectmen. It was decided to meet on May 13, 1958 at 7:00 P.M. and Mr. Ludwig stated that he would obtain detailed information as to cost of parking meters and all other information pertinent to the subject for the committee to study.

Hearing conducted re: Gasoline Storage Application Permit granted.

At 8:00 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the application of the Middlesex County Training School, by J. Earl Wotton, Supt. for permission to increase gasoline storage on the premises by adding a tank containing 1,000 gallons. Mr. Wotton turned over 31 registered mail return receipt cards showing that all abutters had been properly notified. The license was then signed. Fee: $5.00; Adv. charges: $5.75. Total due town: $10.75.

Buffing Machine for CTH voted.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to purchase a buffing machine for use at the Center Town Hall.

Vote to pay new Temp. Treas. Salary retro. to 4/2/58.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to approve salary payment to Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf for Treasurer & Tax Collector retroactive to April 2, 1958.

It was stated that an additional charge of $145.00 appeared on the invoice from Fisk-Alden Co. for purchase of highway equipment. The charge was for purchase and installation of 2,000 lb. weight and it was learned before the payment was made that all other companies bidding on the equipment would also make a similar charge.

Additional charge for Highway Equipment approved.

Application for 2nd and 3rd Class Auto Dealer's Licenses from Mr. **Winthrop** Marinel, 243 Groton Road, North Chelmsford, Mass. to be returned to applicant as the Selectmen did not approve granting of either one. Applicant to be instructed that he may appeal to the Zoning Appeal Board but if granted by that Board Selectmen may fail to approve licenses at a later date.

Applications for Auto Dealer's Licenses denied.

Letter from the Merrimack Essex Elec. Co. stating that commencing June 1, 1958, the company will not inspect customers wiring in Chelmsford. The Recording Clerk was instructed to inquire from the utility company what steps should next be taken by the town.

Notice that MEECo. will not inspect wires as of 6/1/58.

Petitions were then signed for Pole Locations described as follows:

1. For Joint Ownership (formerly owned by LEL Corp. only) Carlton Ave., 1 Pole; Concord Road, 1 Pole; North Road, 1 Pole; Sprague Ave., 1 Pole; and Worthen St. 1 Pole; on Petition No. C-7946, dated 3/25/58, by Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. Petition signed by the clerk and no hearing was required.
2. For petition showing ownership of former private ways and now accepted streets: Kiberd Drive, 9 Poles; Orchard Lane, 3 Poles; Southgate Road, 7 Poles, Sunrise Ave., 3 Poles; Wildes Road, 7 Poles; all on petition No. C-7955, dated 4/10/58 by Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. and New England Tel. & Tel. Co. Petition signed by the clerk and no hearing was required.
3. For petition showing ownership of former private ways and now accepted streets: Aberdeen Road, 4 poles; Colonial Drive, 8 Poles; Fairbanks Road, 1 Pole; Forrest St., 2 Poles, Hemlock Drive, 2 Poles, Kenwood Road, 8 Poles; all on petition No. C-7951, dated 4/10/58 by the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. and NET&TCo. Petition was signed by the clerk and no hearing was required.

Pole Location Petitions Approved.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, the following-named persons were appointed as Members of the Memorial Day Committee:

For American Legion Post 212:
Archie Cooke, Wayne L. Gray and C. Norman LaRock.
For American Legion Post 313:
Donald J. Raffery, B. C. Smith and Joseph Sadowski.

Memorial Day Committee Members appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to grant a Used Car Dealer's License to Joseph Starr, Gorham Street, East Chelmsford; Fee: $15.00 and that Mr. Starr should be informed that the operation of the premises will be observed from time to time and no renewal will be made if the premises are found not to be in order, or if there are objections from nearby residents.

Class II Used Car License approved.

Request to install street signs referred to Outdoor Adv. Auth.

Request from the Kiwanis Club of Chelmsford for permission to install several street signs in Chelmsford approved with the stipulation that the Club make further application to the Outdoor Adv. Authority.

Insurance meeting to be held soon.

It was stated that an insurance meeting with the Advisory Board will be planned in the near future by the Chairman, Mr. George.

Selectmen vote to approve the opening of Latch Road.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was unanimously voted to approve the request of Raymond T. Osborn for the opening up of Latch Road, an old town way, and that the Town Counsel be requested to prepare the letter of approval to Mr. Osborn, with the various limitations and waivers to protect the town's interests.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Auctioneer's License Granted.

On May 13, 1958 an Auctioneer's License was approved by the Selectmen for Arthur Pratt, 6 McFarlin Road., Chelmsford. Fee: $2.00

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 15, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Warrants approved.

Warrant No. 55, dated 5/16/58 for $20,154.75 signed and approved.
Warrant No. 56, " " " 5,624.39 " " "

Conference re: zoning violation.

Mr. Ulysses J. Lupien was present to discuss two matters with the board members:

1. He stated that a Public Auction had been held at 219 Westford Street and then cited the dangerous traffic problem which had ensued. Cars were parked on lawns and at entrances to the orchards and spraying vehicles were unable to enter their property. He asked that such operations be investigated; that the imported sale of antiques in a residential district might be contrary to the zoning laws of the town. Selectmen to request counsel to investigate.

Use of town equipment & material on private property.

2. He then called attention to the fact that gravel had been dumped, spread, at 250 Westford Street, and that town equipment had been used; that a town employee who lives there used town vehicles to come to home lunch and that other special services were rendered to this employee by the town, which he thought were improper.

Protest re Aerial spraying.

Mrs. J. Bradley Varnum delivered a letter protesting the use of aerial spraying for mosquito control. The letter with clippings to be forwarded to the Moth Supt. for his investigation.

Wine & Beer License granted.

A temporary Wine and Beer License was granted to Joseph Ferreira, 39 Marshall St., East Chelmsford for 5/31/58. Fee: $0.50.

Auctioneer's License granted.

An Auctioneer's License was granted to William E. Riney, 24 North Road, Chelmsford. (Renewal) Fee: $2.00.

The Recording Clerk presented the members with much detailed information regarding statutory requirements for Wire inspections by municipalities. The matter was discussed at length and it was decided that Mr. George would confer with Mr. Midgley to obtain further advice.

Discussion re: Wiring Inspector Appointmt.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted to grant a Miniature Golf Course license to the Middlesex Miniature Golf, Inc., George E. Gagnon, Jr., on property adjacent to 185 Middlesex St., North Chelmsford, Mass. and that the fee for this license shall be $15.00

Miniature Golf Course License Granted.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint members to the Town Forest Committtee as follows:

William B. Batchelder and Edward B. Russell

Town Forest Committee members appointed.

It was decided that a letter of acknowledgement should be sent to the Chairman of the Route 110 Committee, Mr. Eugene Crane, thanking him and his committee for their efforts.

Selectmen acknowledge work of Rte 110 Committee.

It was decided that Edward J. Hogan should be appointed Acting Moth Supt. during the illness of Myles J. Hogan.

Acting Moth Supt. appointed.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, June 2, 1958

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

Residents of the end of Woodlawn Avenue, Arthur F. and Florence Keenan, Walter C. and Isabell R. Irving, and Nathan and Hattie E. Mercer, were present regarding the acceptance and improvement of conditions on Woodlawn Ave. After a long discussion, the Recording Clerk was requested to prepare and send a list of Specifications for Street Acceptances to Mr. Keenan and once plans are received the Selectmen would attempt to aid the group in accepting the street.

Woodlawn Avenue residents request road improvements.

At 8:00 P.M. a Hearing was held on the petition of the Merrimack Essex Elec. Co. and NET&TC. for 6 Pole Locations and 6 Pole Location Abandonments, C-7964, dated 4/29/58 for reconstruction purposes. No persons appeared to object, and the petition was signed.

Pole Location Hearing.

On Petition for a Joint Pole Location Ownership on Hunt Road #439, dated 5/5/58 by NET&TC. and Merr.-Essex Elec. Co., the petition was signed by the Clerk. No hearing was required.

Pole Location Petition signed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted to appoint Michael J. Scollan as a Special Police Officer at the Edwards Beach, without pay from the town.

Spec. Police Officer for Beach apptd.

Application to Peddle for Francis L. Pasho, 128 Riverneck Rd. Chelmsford signed by all members of the Board. Fee: None

Application to peddle.

A Sunday License was granted to the Middlesex Miniature Golf, Inc., 185 Middlesex St., North Chelmsford. Fee: $4.00.

Sunday License granted.

Selectmen
discuss and
decide to
write letter
to Comm'sr.
of DPW.

The Selectmen then discussed the letter which Rep. Vernon Fletcher had received from the Commissioner of Public Works regarding the Route 3 construction work. It was decided that a letter should be sent to the Commissioner to inquire about reasons for his sudden change of mind as to construction dates.

Conference
with the
Highway
Garage
Committee.

The Selectmen then met with the Highway Garage Committee Members, Arthur Pratt, Frederick Field, Thomas Sugden and Edward Dryden and their engineer, Herbert Sturtevant.

Articles for
Spec. Tn.
Mtg. Warrant
discussed.

Then the coming Special Town Meeting Warrant was discussed and the Recording Clerk was requested to confer with the Town Counsel as to the preparation of the warrant.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
June 13, 1958.

Members
present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Conference
regarding
town
insurance
policies.

Mr. Eustace B. Fiske appeared before the board for a discussion relating to insurance coverages and finally on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted to not take the Non-Ownership Automobile policy, previously prepared for the town. At this time it was decided also to have a special meeting with the Insurance Advisory Committee and Mr. Robert Picken on June 16, 1958.

Public
Hearing
for acceptance of
Asbury &
Martha Sts.

At 8:00 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the acceptance of Asbury and Martha Streets and the following-named persons were present: Joseph F. & Marguerite M. Galvin, Arthur F. and Anna L. Cunningham, Joseph E. MacShane, Edward M. & Elizabeth D. Hanson, David A. & Barbara Zimmerman, Joseph L. Pelletier, Wilfred A. Lambert, Barbara Galvin, Leo Gorman, Gertrude Gorman and James Mullen. There were no objections to the acceptance of these streets and the layout was then signed for each street.

Public
Hearing
for acceptance of
Sheppard
Lane.

At 8:30 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the acceptance of Sheppard Lane and the following-named persons were present: James B., Jr. and Agnes B. Fitzgerald, Robert L. & Louise M. Griffin, Jack N. Paris, Ralph A. and Elsie M. Johnson, Joseph P. Raneri, William E. and Jacquelyn J. Underwood. There were no objections to the acceptance and the layout was then signed.

Protest in
writing to
be sent to
DPW re:
Rte 3 Const.
delay.

It was decided that a letter should be prepared asking Comm. DiNatale the reasons for change of plans regarding the Route 3 construction, after having assured the Selectmen in person that work would commence very soon.

Civ.Def. Aux.
Police Officer
Appointed.

The Selectmen then appointed Waldo F. Blake, as an Auxiliary Police Officer for Civil Defense.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
July 1, 1958.

Mr. George, Chairman, and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. McAndrew was unable to attend.

Members present.

The Fire Chief, Allan Kidder, was present to inform the Selectmen that specifications were now available for repair work at the South and West Firestations. It was finally decided to obtain bids from various contractors, without a public advertisement, as the final cost may be less than $1,000.

Fire Chief presents specificatns. for Fire House repairs, etc.

Various petitions for Pole Locations were signed and in each case no hearing was required. They were:

1. Petition for 1 Pole Location Abandonment on Park Road, C-8000, 6/17/58 for Reconstruction Purposes, by NET&TC. and MEElec. Co. Petition was signed by the majority of the board members.
2. Petition for 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Academy Street, C-7989, 6/5/58, to clarify records, by NET&TC. and MEElec.Co. Petition was signed by the majority of the board members.
3. Petition for 1 Joint Pole Location on James St., C-7991, 6/6/58, by MEElec. Co. and NET&TC. to serve reconstruction, signed by majority of board members.
4. Petition for Transfer of 1 Pole Location on Concord Road, C-7994, 6/11/58, from MEElec. Co. to NET&TC. signed by the clerk of the board.
5. Petition for 1 Joint Pole Relocation on John Street for Reconstruction Purposes, C-7990, 6/6/58, by MEElec. Co. & NET&TC. signed by the clerk of the board.
6. Petition for Joint Pole Locations on:
   North Road .... 5 Poles,
   Princeton Street ...... 2 Poles,
   Westford Street .... 6 Poles,
   C-7997, 6/11/58 by MEElec. Co. & NET&TC. signed by the clerk.

Pole Location Petitions for Abandonments, Transfers, and Joint Ownerships.

The Selectmen then appointed Herman R. Kurrelmeyer 3rd, 26 Crooked Spring Road, West Chelmsford as a Civil Defense, Auxiliary Police Officer.

Special Police Officer Appointed.

The Building Inspector, Joseph C. Demers, conferred with the Selectmen about various matters of a legal nature affecting his department.

Bldg. Insp. confers with Selectmen.

Then the following-listed licenses were granted:

SUNDAY: Thomas E. Firth, Jr. & Clifford E. Firth, d/b/a Firth Farms, Adjacent to 105 Carlisle St., East Chelmsford, Mass. Fee: $4.00.

COMMON VICTUALER: Thomas E. Firth, Jr. & Clifford E. Firth d/b/a Firth Farms, address above. Fee: $5.00.

Licenses Granted.

It was mentioned at this time that Alfred H. Coburn had resigned as a Library Trustee.

Library Trustee resigned.

Warrant for the Dog Officer was signed and issued.

Warrant to Dog Officer issued.

After a short discussion on feasibility of continuing the Blanket Bond Insurance, Mr. Greenwood moved and it was then

Blanket Bond discontinued.

voted that the Blanket Bond for Employees of the Town of Chelmsford not be renewed.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen, July 15, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Application to Peddle signed.

Application to Peddle for John N. DeSpencer, Pond St., Methuen, Mass. signed. Fee: None.

Pole Location Petition signed.

Petition for four Pole Re-Locations on Stedman Street, for Chapter 90 construction work, C-8003, dated 6/24/58 by the Merrimac-Essex Elec. Co. and NET&TC. signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Notice of Route #110 Hearing read.

Notice of the Route 110 Construction Hearing at Littleton on July 16, 1958 was read and the members decided not to issue any statement of objection. The Chairman stated he would attend the meeting.

Plans for Chapter 90 Stedman St. to proceed.

Notice from the DPW stating that funds for the Chapter 90, Stedman St. Construction project are available, read & to go on file.

Protest against fireworks at Drive-In Theater.

Petition signed by three residents protesting the further use of fireworks at the Outdoor Drive-In Theater as the displays do constitute a fire hazard to their homes, read and it was decided that a letter should be sent to the Fire Chief asking that a study of the matter be made and that further displays, if permitted , should offer various precautionary measures.

Pole Location Hearings Held.

The following Pole Location Hearings were then conducted:

1. At 8:00 P.M. on the Petition of the MEElec.Co. and NET&TC. for 2 Joint Pole Locations on Beech St, C-7992, dated 6/9/58, to serve Wm. DeSelle. No persons were present to object and the petition was signed by all three members of the board.
2. At 8:15 P.M. on the petition of the MEElec.Co.and NET&TC. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Crooked Spring Road, C-7993, dated 6/10/58 to serve Edw. McCaffery. Two abutters, Herman L. Kurrelmeyer and Edward F. McCaffery were present but did not object. The petition was then signed by all members of the board.
3. At 8:30 P.M. on the petition of the NET&TC. for 1 Pole Location on Davis Road, #440, dated 6/9/58 signed by all members of the board. No persons appeared to object.

Conference with the Garage Committee

The Selectmen then conferred with the Highway Garage Building Committee Members, Thomas Sugden, Arthur Pratt, Edward Dryden, and Frederick Field and it was decided to have a joint meeting of both groups on July 18th, at 8:00 P.M. to discuss construction arrangements.

Conference with Mr. Sugden re: Explosive storage.

A conference then followed with Thomas Sugden about the erection of a fence around the Explosive Storage Area at Chestnut Hill. It was decided to have another meeting with Mr. Sugden shortly about the fence installation.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint Harold M. Tucke, Jr. as Wiring Inspector effective July 16, 1958.

Appointment of Wiring Inspector made.

Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew it was voted unanimously to establish a fee for major wiring installations at $5.00. No action was taken on establishing a fee for minor installations.

Fees estab. for Wiring Inspectns.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint Richard F. Campbell as Police Sergeant, effective July 16, 1958.

Police Sergeant appointed.

Mr. McAndrew then spoke of the plans of the Boston & Maine Railroad to abolish the present gate crossing at Middlesex St. due to proposed installation of automatic gates. He said there was much opposition to such a move in North Chelmsford. Then on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to send a letter, in the near future, to the DPW protesting this change. Mr. McAndrew stated details for the letter would be prepared by him for the letter to be written later.

Selectmen discuss change of gate crossing of RR on Middlesex St.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
July 25, 1958.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

It was voted to award the contract for the improvements of the West and South Chelmsford Firehouses to Ralph House, for $1,057.00 per his bid received.

Vote to award contract for Repairs to two fire houses.

Board of Selectmen
by Raymond J. Greenwood
Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Aug. 1, 1958.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present

The Wiring Inspector, Harold M. Tucke, Jr., was present regarding the establishment of minor installation fees and Commercial & Industrial Fees. On the latter it was decided that Mr. Tucke should procure more information from other towns. Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted that fees shall be charged for Wiring Inspections as follows:

Conference with the Building Inspector.

New Homes:	$5.00
Temporary Service:	2.00
Old Home Rewired:	5.00
Service Change-over:	2.00
Remodeling :	1.00
Oil Burners:	1.00
Appliances, (Ranges, Dryers, Water Heaters, etc.)	1.00

Application Fees and Fees to be paid to Inspector established.

Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted that the fees to be paid the Inspector shall be the same as collected (See Schedule on Page 135)(just prior to this vote.)

Conference with the Street Dept. Superintendt

Then the Selectmen met with the Street Supt., Frederick R. Greenwood, about personnel matters within the department and the projects of the next few months, including the Stedman Street Chapter 90 Reconstruction work.

Police Report to be requested.

It was decided that a police report should be obtained regarding character reference for Vernon Atwood.

Request to go to Finance Committee for funds.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to requset the Finance Committee for $350.00 for payment of Land Damage Claims on Billerica Road.

Char. 90 Maint. Contract signed.

The Chapter 90 Maintenance Contracts were then signed.

License Granted.

Auctioneer's License to Raymond M. Barrows, 4 Central Sq., (a renewal) was granted. Fee: $2.00.

Vote to accept Preliminary Plans for Highway Garage.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted to accept the proposal for Plansfor a Highway Garage, as set forth by Perley F. Gilbert Associates, and that the architect fees for these preliminary plans in the amount of $700.00 be approved.

Dog Restraining Order to be prepared.

It was decided that the Recording Clerk should prepare the Dog Restraining Order against Adeline Potvin, per notarized complaints on file.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Aug. 15, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Date set for next meeting.

It was decided to hold the next regular meeting on Aug. 28th.

Election Officers Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, it was seconded by Mr. Greenwood to appoint the following-named persons as Election Officers:

For Precinct 1 - Center:
Warden*: Louis L. Hannaford,
Clerk: Irene W. Borrows,
Deputy Warden: Emily A. Peake,
Deputy Clerk: Harriet H. Shedd,
Inspector: Catherine D. Riney,
" Louise M. Harrington,
" M. Lorraine Simard,
" Myrtle C. Sykes,

For Precinct 2 - North:
Warden: Joseph H. Dunigan,
Clerk: Ruth M. Jamros,
Deputy Warden: Florence E. Beauregard,
Deputy Clerk: Adella P. McEnany.
Inspector: Mary M. Vondal,
" Anna E. Cummings,
" Grace H. Cummings,
" Dora M. Tucke

For Precinct 3- West:
Warden: Dorothy C. Burne,
Clerk: Mildred H. Wilkins,
Inspector: Rose A. Doherty,
" Gloria M. Patenaude,
For Precinct 4- East:
Warden: James E. Reardon,
Clerk: Mary E. Swenson,
Deputy Warden: Cecilia Dix,
Deputy Clerk: Ruth P. Lamprey,
Inspector: Hilda Braga,
" Theresa R. Maguire,
For Precinct 5 - South:
Warden: Elizabeth W. Whalen,
Clerk: Evelyn M. Philbrook,
Inspector: Doris Simpson,
" Edna House,
For Precinct 6, - Westlands
Warden: Viola B. Cochrane,
Clerk: Eleanor M. Parker,
Deputy Warden: Mary H. Long,
Deputy Clerk: Ethyl M. Oates,
Inspector: Katherine F. Knapp,
" M. Angelique White,

Election Officers Appointed.

Three residents of Main Street, West Chelmsford conferred with the Selectmen about the speed of cars passing Nelson's Corner. It was stated that white lines and signs might alleviate the danger. A conference was planned with the Street Supt. about the matter. Mr. Arthur Nystrom acted as spokesman for the group.

Group protest speeding on Main Street.

Mr. Warren C. Lahue appeared to inquire about the procedure to be followed for street acceptances. He was given a copy of the specifications.

Inquiry as to procedure for St. Acceptances.

Mr. Lahue also spoke about the application for Skip's, Inc. for a liquor license and stated that he opposed the granting of another restaurant license and hoped the Selectmen would deny the license.

Opposition to liq. Lic. voiced.

Messers Smith and Wayne of Lowell, Architectural Consultants, appeared beforethe Board to acquaint the board members with the services available.

Architectural Consultants confer with Selectmen

The Selectmen requested the Recording Clerk to prepare a letter to the DPW Commissioner, Mr. DiNatale, to inquire as to why no reply had been received from him for letters previously sent.

Inquiry to be sent to D W Re: absence of replies to letters sent.

It was decided to hold a special meeting on Aug. 19th.

Petitions against the Installation of Automatic Gates at the Railroad Crossing on Middlesex St., North Chelmsford, were received by the Selectmen and an explanatory letter is to be prepared to accompany the petitions to the DPU office in Boston.

Petitions against Automatic RR Gates Received.

The Selectmen asked the Recording Clerk to obtain information from the Assessors as to the provisions set forth on a deed of land from the Town to the Westlands Improvement Assn.

Town Deed to WIA to be examined.

Character report signed.

Statement of character of Vernon Atwood signed and to be sent to the Sec'y. of the Commonwealth, per receipt of Police Report.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Aug. 19, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Licenses granted.

Sunday License to Leonard Olinchak, d/b/a Dottie's Doughnut Shop, 9 Fletcher St., Chelmsford, granted. Fee: $4.00.

A temporary Wine and Beer License was granted to the East Chelmsford American Legion, Post 366, at the EastSchool Playground for Aug. 23, 1958. Fee: $0.50.

Liquor License for Skip's Inc. discussed.

Then the Selectmen took up the subject of the granting of a Common Victualer, All Alcoholic License for Skip's, Inc. The applicants, Stephen Burliss, and Peter Gefteas were present. Also present were Rev. Richard Manwell, Mr. Saul Stone and Mr. Robert Greenwood.

Clergyman opposes granting of liquor license.

Rev. Mr. Manwell spoke at length in opposition to the granting of the license.

Applicant speaks in favor.

Mr. Burliss spoke in favor saying the cost of wagesand operation had increased and the company must now seek other revenue. He said their business will continue to be principally food, that they had previously applied, and had tried to wait as long as possible but now the license was needed. He said that they plan to operate a most respectable establishment, that they were capable of handling this type of business and it will be operated in a manner which will be a credit to the town.

Letters protesting granting read.

Mr. George then read several letters from persons asking that the license not be granted.

Each Selectmen voices opinion.

Then each Selectmen outlined his own feelings on the denial and/or granting of this license.

Vote to grant license.

Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted by the majority to grant the license. Mr. George opposed the granting and voted against the granting of such a license.

Application and license form changed.

The applicants were then contacted and the application was revised to include only description of premises now in use.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Aug. 28, 1958.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

Allan Kidder, Fire Chief, was present to discuss emergency measures to be taken for lighting at the Center Town Hall in case of power failure due to impending hurricane. It was stated that certain departments and officers should have priority over other officers and a list was available and approved.

Discussion re: Emergency Lighting at CTH if hurricane comes.

A Common Victualer License for Leonard Olenchak, d/b/a Dottie's Doughnut Shop, 9 Fletcher St., Chelmsford granted. Fee: $5.00.

License granted.

An application to Peddle for George S. Yates, 5 B Street, was signed. Fee: None.

Application to Peddle.

It was decided that a letter should be written to the Officers of the WIA, now inactive, to explain that the Legion Post #212, is in need of new quarters, and that if possible it might be desirable to allow an active organization the use of the building.

Letter to go to WIA re: Use of Qtrs. by Legion.

Mr. Francis Cunningham of Bailey Terrace, East Chelmsford, appeared before the Selectmen to inquire about procedure for acceptance of a street; namely, Bailey Terrace. It was learned that the street had come before the voters at the annual meeting in 1955 and had been dismissed. Mr. Cunningham was given specifications for street acceptances and advice as to location of old plans.

Inquiry re: street acceptance procedure.

Mr. Isadore Needham appeared before the Selectmen to inquire as to when the partially demolised building on Needham St. would be razed. The Building Inspector was contacted and advised that prompt action should be taken.

Inquiry as to when old bldg. will be demolished.

The following-listed hearings were conducted:

At 8:00 P.M. on Petition of Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. & NET&TC. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Huntley Avenue, C-8008, dated 7/2/58. No persons appeared to object and pet. was signd.

At 8:15 P.M. on Petition of Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. & NET&TC. for 5 Joint Pole Locations on Parker Road, C-8010, dated 7/3/58. No persons appeared to object and petition was signed by all members.

Street Pole Location Hearings.

Mr. William Edge appeared to inform the Selectmen of a CD District meeting at North Reading Sanitorium for 9/5/58 at 8:00 P.M. and he invited the members to attend.

CD District Meeting.

It was decided that a letter should be written to the Town Counsel about the High School Land Damage Claims and that the Selectmen should be informed as to the amounts allocated and amounts requested by petitioners.

School Land Damage claims.

The Recording Clerk was requested to prepare the Street Light Request List for future study.

Street Light Survey.

Letter from the School Committee regarding:

1. North Town Hall Roof Repairs and estimate of repair costs set at $125. to $175.00. The Supt to be instructed to have the work done.

NTH Roof to be repaired.

Request for safety precautions on Princeton St. at North Town Hall for school sessions.

2. Request by the School Committee that safety precautions be met on Princeton St. and the Selectmen decided that the DPW should assist and inform the Town which precautions to take.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Sept. 3, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Sealed Bids for Chapter 90 Stedman St. Const. opened.

The meeting was conducted in order to open Sealed Bids for the new construction of Chapter 90 Stedman St. pronect. Bids were received from:

1. J. P. Condon Corp.
2. Geo. Brox, Inc.
3. Essex Bituminous Concrete Co.

Contract for materials awarded.

On a motioh by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was votedunaniously to award the contract to the J. P. Condon Corp. provided that the work will commence ten days after notification is given by the Highway Supt.

Election Officer Appointed.

Herman Purcell, Jr. was appointed as Warden for Precinct 5, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Elizabeth Whalen.

Board of Seletmen
by Raymond J. Greenwood
Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Sept. 15, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Conference with Architect & Highway Bldg. Committee

The Selectmen conferred at length with the members of the Highway Garage Committee, the Street Supt. and the Architect regarding the plans and specifications of the proposed building.

Fire Insurance discussed.

Mr. George Upton was present to inquire about the renewal of a Fire Insurance Policy for $630,000. which expires on 9/18/58. After some discussion, during which premiums were quoted, the Selectmen decided to consider the matter. Later in the evening, it was decided that the renewal of the insurance should be made as follows:

To George Upton	$430,000.	5 yr.	Install. eff:9/18/8.
To Roger P. Welch	100,000.	5 yr.	" " "
To Weldon Haire	100,000.	5 yr.	" " "

Speed Limit signs set for Billerica Rd.

The Street Supt., Frederick R. Greenwood, was asked to post four signs (two in each direction) on Billerica Road, stating speed limit shall be 45 MPH.

CD requests use of old Highway Office.

Inquiry re: Dunstable Rd. Drainage.

Mr. William Edge was present and talked on the following subjects:

1. Requested that the Civil Defense Dept. be allowed to use the Highway Office at Center Town Hall when the Highway Dept. moves to their new building.
2. Requested suitable drainage improvements on Dunstable Rd., near land recently purchased by Mr. Edge. The Selectmen

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stated they would view the premises and then make their recommendations.

Auto Dealer License Approved.

A Used Car Dealer's License, Class II, was granted to Fred Fantozzi Vinal Sq., North Chelmsford. Fee: $15.00

Authorization granted to open Hornbeam Road.

It was decided that a letter of authorization to proceed with the opening of Hornbeam Road should be sent to Raymond T. Osborn as the preliminary requirements had been met.

Dump Nuisance discussed.

It was also decided that a letter should be sent to the Lowell City Manager calling his attention to the continued smoke nuisance from the Westford St. dumping area in Lowell and asking that steps be taken to control the problem.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Sept. 19, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greewood were present.

Other persons present.

Also present were Mrs. Gertrude Townsend, Stenographer who took down a transcript of the proceedings, Police Chief Ralph J. Hulslander, Michael Zawinski, Manager of the Meadow Grille, Inc. and his attorney, Reginald Furness, 17 Columbia St., North Chelmsford.

Reason for hearing.

The hearing was held to learn all details pertaining to the sale and or serving of all alcoholic beverages, and Wines and Malt Beverages to minors at the Meadow Grille, 100 Tyngsboro Road.

Testimony by witnesses.

Five young men, all under twenty-one years of age, testified about the conduct of the establishment known as the Meadow Grille, testimony ofwhich may be found elsewhere in the files of the Licensing Board.

Licensess & Attorney speak.

The hearing conculded at 8:45 P.M. after the licensee, Michael Zawinski and his attorney, made several statements.

Vote of Board to suspend license for 30 days.

Later in the evening, on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to suspend the licenses both All Alcoholic, Common Victualer, and the Common Victualer food license, for a period of thirty days, effective Sept. 24, 1958, and that the Food License cannot be re-instated until a health inspection is made by the Health Dept. Sanitarian, and the premises is found to be in a sanitary condition.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
October 1, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Meeting with Garage Committee & Architect

A joint meeting with the Highway Garage Building Committee and the Architect was held.

Then Messrs. Joseph Lukas and Edward Baron met with the Selectmen to discuss the storage of explosives at Chestnut Hill and also the narrow road which is used to serve the storage area. The erection of a fence, in accordance with the town meeting vote was also discussed. It was finally decided to meet with the complainants on Thursday evening at 7:30 P.M. to discuss in detail all phases of the problem.

Discussion re: Storage of explosive

Selectmen & Library Trustee elect a new member to fill vacancy.

Later the Selectmen met with Library Trustees, Roger P. Welch, Marjorie B. Scoboria, Ethel Booth and Raymond Kroll, to elect a Trustees to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Alfred H. Coburn. Miss Scoboria nominated Mrs. June C. Worthley, 42 Sylvan Avenue, Chelmsford. Mr. Greenwood seconded the nomination and a unanimous vote followed.

It was decided that the Selectmen should meet with Harold Tucke, Jr. the Wiring Inspector, at the next regular meeting to discuss the schedulesof fees for wiring permits.

Conference to be held with Wiring Inspector.

Resignation form for Leo Boucher as Intermittent Special Officer signed by Mr. George.

Spec. Police Off. Resigns

It was decided to request the Officers and Advisory Committee of the Westlands Improvement Assn. to meet with the Selectmen at the regular meeting, Oct. 15th to further discuss the use of the WIA hall.

Selectmen to confer with WIA Officers.

Speed Limit signs for Riverneck Road were discussed and it was decided to study the subject further before taking any action.

Speed Limit signs for Riverneck Rd.discussd

Stop Signs for Woodlawn Avenue at Linwood St. were requested by Alfred H. Coburn and were approved by the Selectmen.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 9, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Sidewalk Bids opened and contract awarded.

At 8:00 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened for the Installation of sidewalks at various locations. Three bids were received. They were:

1.	Wm. E. Belleville	$2,528.75
2.	Charles Cont. Co.	2,647.25 & $15.00 pr.ton(Church St)
3.	George Kelly	3,000.00

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew , it was voted unanimously to award the contract to Wm. E. Belleville for $2,528.75

Conference re' Storage of Explosives

Then the Selectmen met with Messrs. Baron and Lukas regarding the storage of explosives at Chestnut Hill. Certain factors relating to the type of fence to be installed were agreed upon and it was also decided to seek further advice from the Town Counsel on this subject.

Board of Selectmen
by Raymond J. Greenwood
Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 15, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Discussion with Wiring Inspector re' Fees.

Mr. Harold M. Tucke, Jr., Wiring Inspector, and Mrs. Tucke were present to discuss the wiring inspection fees to be charged by the town. After some discussion it was finally decided that the new schedule should be slightly different from the existing one. Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously that the schedule be as follows:

Vote of Schedule of Fees for Wiring Inspections.

Major permits shall consist of:
    New Homes $5.00
    Old Homes Rewired 5.00
Minor Permits shall consist of:
    Temporary Service $2.00
    Service changeover (including cellar wiring and any electrical item added at time of changeover) $2.00
    Remodeling 1.00
    Oil burners 1.00
    Appliances, such as ranges, dryers, water heaters, etc. $1.00
and the inspector shall also be paid according to the schedule listed above.

Study to be made of Wiring Fees for Commercial buildings.

It was decided also that Mr. Tucke should obtain further information as to commercial fees charged by other municipalities so that a commercial schedule should be planned and voted.

License Granted.

A Class II Auto Dealer's License was granted to Nicholas Emanouil at 8 Littleton Road. This license was granted in the form of a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, and voted unanimously. Fee: $15.00

Inquiry Re: burned building.

Mr. Isadore Needham was present to discuss the removal of a dangerous structure what had been partially burned and Mr. George read a letter to Mr. Needham which the board had recently sent to the Town Counsel regarding this subject and the next steps to be taken.

Inquiry re: Dump Hours.

Also Mr. Needham inquired about the possibilities of having the north dump open six days each week and the working schedule was discussed with action to be taken on this matter at a later date.

Certificates of Character for Corp.

Certificates of Character for new corporation members were signed as follows:
1. James A. Quinn, for Iapes Com.Assn. of Mass.
2. Paul Zouzas, for Sons & Dau. of Kastrakini, Inc.

Letter from Mr. and Mrs. August Mueller received regarding their displeasure of action of Appeal Board. The Selectmen instructed the Recording Clerk to acknowledge the letter and inform the petitioners of their rights of appeal.

Letter re: Appeal Board Hearing.

It was decided to call for bids for Fuel Oil for 10/31/58.

Fuel Oil Bids to be called.

Complaint by Mrs. Harold A. Knox, against dog owned by Robert Hedlund to be sent to Dog Officer for his investigation.

Dog Nuisance to be investigated by Dog Officer.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 22, 1958.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew, and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

The meeting was conducted in the upper hall with various contractors present and two members of the Architectural firm, Perley Gilbert Associates and all members of the Highway Garage Committee.

Persons present.

At about 8:00 P.M. the Sealed Bids for the construction of a new Highway Garage were opened:

Sealed Bids for new Highway Garage Opened.

1.	Robinson and Robinson.	$91,235.00
2.	Vitti Construction Co.	101,831.00
3.	E. F. Delaney & Co.	116,000.00
4.	Singleton Construction Co.	102,700.00
5.	Scaldini, Inc.	91,038.00
6.	R. E. Descheneaux Co.	99,798.00
7.	Mavrofrides Const. Co.	118,800.00

Then a long discussion followed between the Architect and Garage Committee Members. It was finally decided to take the lower bids under advisement and that a subsequent meeting should be held within a few days to determine the next steps to be taken.

Discussion follows.

Bids taken under advisement.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 31, 1958.

Mr. George, Chairman and Mr. Greenwood were present.
Mr. McAndrew was unable to attend the meeting.

Members present.

Various street plans were received. They were for:

1. Colonial Terrace	From	Armand Gagne
2. Murray Hill Road,	"	Roland Blackadar
3. Hidden Way	"	Warren C. Lahue
4. Beech Street,	"	Warren C. Lahue
5. East Sheppard Lane,	"	Fred J. Sieber
6. Bailey Terrace	"	Thomas Hickey
7. Rogers Road,	"	James Vrouhas & Geo. Ducharme

Street Acceptance Requests and Plans Received.

Street Acceptance Requests and Plans.

8.	Spruce Street	From: B & G. Realty Trust.
9.	Walnut Road,	" " " " " "
10.	Chestnut Avenue	" " " " " "
11.	Anna Street	" " " " " "
12.	Lemire Court	" " " " " "
13.	Latch Road,	" Raymont T. Osborn
14.	Navillus St.	"
15.	Dorrence St.	"
16.	Arlington St.	"
17.	Balsam Drive,	" Robert Wildes,
18.	Buckman Drive	" " "
19.	Larssen Circle,	" " "
20.	Diane Lane,	" " "
21.	Scott Drive,	" " "

Conference regarding nuisance on Boston Road and Mill Rd.

Claude J. Harvey was present to call the board's attention to the nuisance and appearance of property owned by Art Thiffault at Boston and Mill Roads. He stated that something should be done to improve conditions and the Selectmen agreed to confer with various department heads as to possible violations, etc.

Pole Relocation Petitions.

Petitions for Pole Re-locations were then signed and in both cases no hearing was required:

1. 1 Pole Re-Location on Pine Hill Road, C-8064, dated 9/29/58, by MEElec.Co. and NET&TC., signed by the clerk.
2. 1 Pole Re-Location on Bridge St., C-8055, dated 9/9/8, by MEECo and NET&TC., signed by the clerk.

Certificates of character for incorporator.

Character reference for Incorporation of Chelmsford Junior Chamber of Commerc, Inc. signed by the members, covering sundry persons.

Fuel Oil Bids for Town Buildings.

Sealed Bids for the Purchase of Fuel Oil for Town Halls, Fire Stations and Libraries were opened and are listed as follows:

1.	A-BA-Co.	Fixed price of	$0.132 per gallon.	
2.	Gagnon	" " "	0.135 " "	or .02 Disc.price
3.	Marchand	" " "	0.145 " "	
4.	Thibault	" " "	0.153 " "	
5.	Crockett	" " "	0.1425 " "	

It was decided to take the bids under advisement.

Need for opening drainage line.

Mr. Frederick R. Greenwood, Street Supt., was present to discuss:

1. Need for permission to work on private property to open a drainage line which would affect many town basins. This permission was granted. Area in question was Rear of Fletcher St
2. Need for funds for purchase of a snow plow and it was decided that the Selectmen would make a request of the Finance Committee for same.

Funds for snow plow needed.

Pole Location Hearings.

The following-listed pole location hearings were then conducted:

1. 1 Joint Pole Location on Graniteville Road, at 8:15 P.M. C-8047, dated 9/4/58, by MEEC. and NET&TC. No abutters were present to object, and the petition was signed.
2. 3 Joint Pole Locations and 4 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on Proctor Road, C-8063, dated 10/10/58 by MEECo. Stephen Bentas was present but did not object, and the petition was signed. This hearing was at 8:30 P.M.
3. 1 Joint Pole Location and 9 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on Graniteville Road, C-8050, dated 9/5/58, by MEEC and NET&TC. Chester M. Whitney was present and objected and the Recording Clerk was requested to learn from the utility company if the previous permission to place poles

could remain in force as the poles and service might be needed in the near future. This hearing was held at 8:45 PM.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 5, 1958.

Acting Fire Chief Appointed.

It was unanimously decided that Ernest G. Byam should be appointed Acting Chief of the Fire Department to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Allan Kidder.

Board of Selectmen
by Raymond J. Greenwood.
Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 10, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Fire Chief appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint Ernest G. Byam as the Fire Chief of the Fire Department, effective Nov. 10, 1958.

Board of Selectmen
by Raymond J. Greenwood,
Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 14, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Underbridge lighting for Route #110 to be requested.

It was decided that a letter should be sent to the Edwards & Kelcey, Engineers, in reply to their communication, stating that under bridge lighting should be included in plans for the bridges to be erected on Chelmsford St. and Golden Cove Road and also a request should be made of complete plans of all bridges planned in Chelmsford for Rte 110 project.

Sealed Bids for Fire Dept. Hose opened

Contract for purchase of hose awarded.

Sealed Bids were opened for the purchase of Hose for the Fire Dept. at 8:00 P.M. Messrs. Joseph Murphy and Justin A. McCarthy were present. The bids follow:

	Name of Company		1½" Hose	2½" Hose
1.	American Fire Eq. Co.	2%D.	$0.85 pr. ft.	$1.26 pr. ft.
2.	Justin A. McCarthy Co.	"	0.97 " "	1.36 " "
3.	Joseph L. Murphy	"	0.80 " "	1.18 " "
4.	Robinson & Co.	"	0.79 " "	1.23 " "

Then the Selectmen took the bids under advisement pending a conference with the Fire Chief. Later in the evening Mr. Ernest G. Byam met with the Selectmen, read the bids, and made his recommendations. Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to award the contract to Joseph L. Murphy.

Gasoline Storage Hearing Held.

License granted.

At 8:00 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the application of Henry Becker for permission to use land at Richardson Road and Graniteville Road, for storage of gasoline, 1,000 gallons underground. The registered mail return receipts from each abutter were received by the Recording Clerk. Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00, Adv. costs $5.25. Total due: $10.25.

Special Police Officers Appointed.

Civil Service appointment notice was then signed by the Chairman for the appointment of three special police officers, effective 12/1/58. They are Edwin R. Hodgson, John J. Bell, and Barnard L. George.

New Town Clock Maint. Man to be engaged.

It was decided that Mr. John Urban should be contacted to see if he might be willing to accept the maintenance work of the Town Clock, as Mr. Lewis Fisk resigned his position.

Contract awarded for Fuel Oil Purchases.

Then the subject of awarding the contract for purchase of fuel oil was discussed and on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted by the majority to award the contract to A-BA-Co., Inc. for the fixed price of $0.132 per gallon.

Selectmen to view new sts. & other committees invited.

It was decided to view the various streets for acceptance during 1959 on Saturday, Nov. 29th, commencing at 9:00 P.M. and that the Planning Board and Finance Committee members should be so notified.

Outdoor Adv. sign disapproved.

Petition for an outdoor sign on Rte. 110, by Chelmsford Bank & Trust Co. studied and it was finally decided that the application should be disapproved as it was in variance with the Town Zoning Code and that the Outdoor Adv. Authority should be so notified.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 25, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. McAndrew was unable to attend the meeting.

Constable appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted by the majority of the board, to appoint Ralph J. Hulslander as Constable for a term of one year, to expire 11/25/59.

Conference with Highway Garage Architect.

Later the board members conferred with the Highway Garage architect.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 1, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George Chairman and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. McAndrew was unable to attend.

Discussion regarding need for new sign post at Davis Rd. & North Rd.

Mrs. Margaret E. Mills appeared before the Selectmen to inquire if the old signpost at North Road and DavisRoad could be replaced as it does have historical significance. The Selectmen stated they would instruct the Street Supt. to repair or make a new signpost, similar to the old one and install it at the same location.

A letter from the Chelmsford P.T.A.Council giving notice of a resolution recently adopted by the Council for studying the merits of a town-wide curfew for children of school age. The Selectmen decided to forward it to the Police Chief for his study and recommendations and the Council to be so notified.

PTA Council recommends curfew for school children.

At 8:00 P.M. a hearing was conducted on the petition of the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. and NET&TC. for one joint pole location on Dalton Road, to support existing lines, C-8096, dated 10/29/58. No abutters appeared to object. Then the petition was signed by all members present.

Pole Location Hearing.

It was decided to meet Thursday evening, Dec. 4th, to study budget reports for 1959.

Budget meeting planned.

A letter from the minister of the Unitarian Church requesting that a 2hr Parking Sign between 6:00 AM and 6:00 P.M. be installed near the church and curbing be painted to say No Parking at the Westford St. vestry entrance; both requests being approved and will be forwarded to the Street Supt.

New street parking sign and curb painting requested.

Mr. Robert Greenwood, member of the Board of Health, conferred with the Selectmen regarding the Dump nuisance in Lowell at Chelmsford line on Stedman St. After a long discussion it was finally decided to confer later on this subject at a joint meeting with the Board of Health on Dec. 9th.

Stedman St. Dump nuisance discussed.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 4, 1958.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

The Selectmen met with various department heads and a Blue-Cross Insurance Representative to discuss town participation in insurance benefits for town employees.

Discussion re: BC&BS Insurance for Town Employees.

Then the Selectmen conferred with the Fire Chief, Ernest G. Byam, and later with Atty. Warren Allgrove regarding a Land Damage Settlement for Billerica Road.

Discussion re: Land Taking Settlement.

A Class III Auto Dealer's License for Edward L. McGarry and Frank Dimodana, Jr., d/b/a Chelmsford Auto Parts, Sleeper St. North Chelmsford. Fee: $15.00

License Granted.

Street Light Order for Westford St. on Poles No. 66 & 69 approved.

Street Lights Approved.

The Selectmen then worked on budgets for 1959.

It was decided to request the Personnel Board for interviews on salary increases for the Recording Clerk of the Board of Selectmen, Janitor for Center Town Hall and Wiring Inspector.

Personnel Bd. requested to change wage scales of various employees.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Inspection of Liquor Establishments.

The Selectmen on Monday, Dec. 8, 1958 visited the various liquor establishments for the annual inspections.

On December 11, 1958 the Selectmen signed and approved licenses for renewals as follows:

CLUB LICENSES: All Alcoholic; Fee: $100.00. Adv. Costs: $5.75.
American Legion, Alberton W. Vinal Post 313, Inc.

RETAIL PACKAGE GOODS STORE, All Alcoholic, Fees: $900.00 each:

Chelmsford Package Store, Inc.	Adv.	Costs:	$5.25
Hindman's Market, Inc.,	"	"	6.00
North Chelmsford Wine and Liquor Co., Inc.	"		12.50

DRUGGIST, All Alcoholic, Fee: $300.00

C. Richmond Page, d/b/a Page's Drug Store.	"		5.00

COMMON VICTULAER, All Alcoholic, Fees: $600.00 each.

Skip's Diner, Inc.	Adv.	Costs:	6.00
Meadow Grille, of Chelmsford, Inc.	"	"	6.00
Princeton Creamery, Inc.	"	"	12.50
Paramount Lounge, Inc.	"	"	6.50
Rainbow Spa, Inc.	"	"	5.50
Dean's Food, Inc.	"	"	5.75
The Lion's Den, Inc.	"	"	6.25
Dad & the Boys, Inc.	"	"	5.75

RETAIL PACKAGE GOODS STORES, Wines & Malt Beverages: Fees: $200. each.

Chelmsford Wine Shop, Inc.	Adv.	Costs:	$5.75
Patrick J. Murphy, d/b/a North Chelmsford, Market.	"	"	5.50

Licenses Granted.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, December 15, 1958.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

The following-listed licenses were signed and granted;
COMMON VICTUALER; Fees $5.00 each All renewals.

Paramount Lounge, Inc.
Rainbow Spa, Inc.
Dean's Food, Inc.
Skip's Diner, Inc.
American Legion, Alberton W. Vinal Post 313, Inc.
The Lion's Den, Inc.
Dad & the Boys, Inc.
Princeton Creamery, Inc.
North Chelmsford Wine & Liquor Co., Inc.
Meadow Grille of Chelmsford, Inc.
Charles Ballos, d/b/a Ballos Diner
A. S. Bentas, d/b/a The Wishbone.
Loraine E. Lachut, d/b/a Vinal Sq., Variety.
John R. Kydd, d/b/a Jack's Diner
George K. Hill
Joseph Donovan d/b/a Elm Diner
Anthony Privitera, d/b/a Tony & Ann's.
Thomas E. Firth, Jr., & Clifford E. Firth, d/b/a Firth Farms.
George McMahon
Leonard Olenchak, d/b/a Dottie's Doughnut Shop.

Sunday Entertainment Licenses: State Fee: $50.00 Annually & Town Fee $2.00 per Sunday.
Charles Ballos (All renewals.)
Robert E. Feehan, at Dean's Food, Inc. (All for 52 Weeks.)
Fred L. Gefteas, at Skip's Diner
Albert Tareila, at The Lion's Den, Inc.
Joseph Giuffrida, at Princeton Lounge .

Weekday Entertainment Licenses: Fees $5.00 each. All renewals.
Paramount Lounge, Inc.
Rainbow Spa, Inc.
Dean's Foods, Inc.
Lion's Den, Inc.

Automatic Amusement Device Licenses: Fees: $20.00 per annum. All renewals
Rainbow Spa, Inc.
Dean's Food, Inc.
American Legion, Alberton W. Vinal Post 313, Inc.
The Lion's Den, Inc.
George K. Hill
Charles F. Dinnigan, d/b/a North Chelmsford Bowling Alleys.

Licenses Granted.

Auto Dealer's License, Class I, Fee: $15.00 Renewal.
Roger Boyd, Inc.

Auto Dealer's License, Class II, Fee: $15.00 All renewals.
Orman W. Leland d/b/a Westland Motors
Nicholas Emanouil, d/b/a Nick's Texaco Station.
Robert A. Ferron, d/b/a Bob's Used Cars.
Kenneth V. Cutcliffe, d/b/a Ken's Gulf Service
Harold C. Hurst, d/b/a Harold's Socony Service Station.
Raymond C. Knight, d/b/a Princeton Motors, Inc.
Joseph Vieira, d/b/a Vinal Square Garage.
Frederick J. Fantozzi, d/b/a Fred's Gulf Service.
Joseph S. Starr, d/b/a Starr Service Station.
Percy T. Robinson, d/b/a North Chelmsford Motors.
Eleftherios Liakos, d/b/a P. & J. Service Station.

Motor Vehicle Junk License, Class III, Fee: $15.00 Renewal.
Edward L. McGarry and Frank Dimodana, Jr., d/b/a Chelmsford Auto Parts
Roger Boyd, Inc.
Sam Abdallah, d/b/a North Road Garage.

Auctioneer, Fees: $2.00. Renewal.
M. Edward Riney,

Sealed Bids for Gasoline purchases during 1959 were then opened in the presence of Mr. John Fitzgerald, representative of the Gulf Oil Corp. One bid was received from the Gulf Oil Corp. for a discount of $0.0406 per gallon. The Esso Co. sent a letter stating no bid would be sent in this year. Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for gasoline purchases to the Gulf Oil Corp. per bid received.

Sealed Bids for Gasoline Purchases opened & award of contract

Then Messrs. Blair Finnegan and Arthur Keenan conferred with the Selectmen about the planned acceptance of Woodlawn Ave. without the turn-around. The Selectmen offered Mr. Finnegan their reasons for not accepting and building a costly turn-around and Mr. Finnegan asked that they re-consider so that the street would be entirely completed. The Selectmen all agreed that the acceptance should not go further than the corrected blueprint drawing; that is, without the turn-around.

Discussion regarding acceptance of Woodlawn Ave.

Police Chief recommends that no curfew for school children be enforced.

A letter was received from the Police Chief stating that, in his opinion, a curfew for school-age children is very unnecessary at the present time, and the Selectmen then decided that a letter should be sent to the PTA Council to this effect.

Pole Location Abandonment Petition signed.

Petition for 1 Pole Location Abandonment on Tyngsboro Road, C-8110, dated 11/24/58, by the NET&TC. and MEECo. signed by the clerk. No hearing was necessary.

Treas. & Tax Coll. bonds estab.

A letter from the Office of the Commissioner of Taxation stating that the Treasurer's bond shall be not less than $52,500. and the Tax Collector's Bond $61,200. read and certification to this effect to be signed at the next regular meeting.

Town Counsel to be requested to institute Land Court Case.

It was decided to request the Town Counsel to proceed with Land Court Action to take certain land title once owned by Fred F. & Jessie H. Wiggin land.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 29, 1958.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Request to go to Engin. Firm for underbridge lighting.

It was decided that a letter should be written to the Engineering Company, Edwards and Kelcey, requesting them to make provision for underbridge lighting at Route #110 and Riverneck Road.

Joint mtg. with other town officials re B&M. RR. cutback.

A letter was received from the Town Manager of Wilmington stating that a meeting would be held in Wilmington on Jan. 5th for town officials to protest the closing and discontinuances of various B.& M. Railroad trains.

Pole Location petition signed

A petition for 1 Pole Relocation on Park Road, C-8103, dated 11/10/58, by the MEElec.Co. and NET&TC. was signed by the clerk. No hearing was necessary.

Sealed Bids for Rock Salt Opened.

Sealed Bids were opened at 8:00 P.M. for the purchase of Rock Salt for the Highway Dept., in the presence of one representative of a competing company. The bids follow:

Name of Company	Bulk Car Rate	Bulk Truck Rate
1. Industrial Chemical Corp.	$15.80 pr.Ton.	$19.80 per ton.
2. Eastern Minerals	15.90 perTon.	14.40 per ton.
3. International Salt	14.90 perTon.	15.90 per.ton.

The bids were forwarded to the St. Supt. for his study.

Sealed Bids for Printing Town Reports

Sealed Bid was opened for the printing of the Annual Town Report from Sullivan Bros. and the rate given was $10.95 per page. Mr. Joseph Sullivan, Jr. was present. On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to award the contract to Sullivan Bros. per bid received.

Proofreader appointed for Town Reports.

Also the Recording Clerk was requested to make plans to hire Mrs. Joseph Moran as proofreader.

It was decided that a letter should be sent to Commissioner DiNatale of the DPW inquiring about the delay for call for bids for Route 3 construction.

Ltr. to be mailed to DPW re: delay in call for Rte. 3 Const. Bids.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 15, 1959.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

Mrs. Edward Marshall, Representative of the League of Women Voters, was present to observe the Selectmen in session and at this time she requested that two copies of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant be made available to the League.

Representative of League of Women Voters present.

Messrs. Raymond H. Greenwood and H. Chadbourne Ward were present to request the Selectmen to study the traffic problems at the Central Baptist Church on Westford St. After some discussion Mr. George suggested that the members confer with the Police Chief to remedy the problem.

Traffic problem on Westford & Academy Sts. cited.

Then the meeting adjourned to the upper hall where the Selectmen met with approximately sixteen merchants and business men of the Central Square area. All were present to ask that the Selectmen and town consider the problems of parking at this busy and congested area. Quite a few merchants spoke and gave their opinions and finally it was decided that the group would prepare information for an article for the Annual Town Meeting so that definite action may soon follow.

Parking Problems at Central Sq. discussed

Messrs. Claude A. Harvey and Arnold Parlee were present to request that the board consider increase of hourly rate for the rent of large trucks for snow plow work from $7.00 to $8.00 per hour. The Selectmen decided to take the request under advisement and no decision was made at this time.

Truck Hire Rates discussed and increase requested.

It was decided to request the Lowell City Council for the opportunity to meet with the Council to discuss the nuisance of the dumping area at City Line on Stedman St. The meeting is to be planned for Jan. 27, 1959 and the Recording Clerk to so notify the City Council of this proposed meeting.

Selectmen to confer with Lowell City Council re: Dump Nuisance.

It was decided that a letter should be sent to the town counsel to inquire if insurance coverage should be continued for the Zaher homestead, presumed to have been taken for school purposes.

Inquiry about Insurance for Zaher Home to be made.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 30, 1959.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew & Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

Mr. Thomas Cockery, County Dog Officer, Dr. W. E. Merrill, Animal Inspector and Mr. Frank Wojtas, Dog Officer, were present to discuss procedure to be followed in the event of dog bite cases. It was stated that the County would allow a dog to be confined at their expense under some circumstances when

Conference with Dog Officer, & Animal Inspector re: Dogbite cases.

the owner of the dog is known.

Gasoline Storage Hearing.

A gasoline storage hearing was held at 8:00 P.M. on the petition of Leroy Dutton and a road construction company. Mr. Wayne Stetson was present. The registered mail return receipts from abutters were presented to the Selectmen. No one objected to the granting of the license, a temporary one for road building purposes. On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00. Adv. costs $7.00.

Request for Motor Vehicle Junk License denied.

Messrs. Warren Henderson and Valentine Polesarczyk were present to request that the Selectmen act favorably on their request for a Class III Motor Vehicle Junk License to be exercised at Manahan St., Chelmsford. The request was not approved, and the applicants were referred to the Board of Appeals.

Land Taking Case. Settlement amount voted.

In reply to an inquiry from the Town Counsel, in which he had recommended a settlement of $450.00 for Land Taking from Harrison family, on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to authorize the Town Counsel to offer this sum to the former owners.

Certification of Free Cash.

Communication from the Director of Accounts stating that the amount of Free Cash is $210,823.77 read and to go on file.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen,
February 13, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

License Granted.

A Common Victular's License was granted to John Earl, d/b/a Earl's Dairy Queen, 110 Tyngsboro Road, North Chelmsford. Fee: $5.00

Town Counsel states Zaher Home not included in Land Taking Case.

Letter from the town counsel stating the Zaher home was not included in the land taking for school purposes and therefore any insurance being carried on the building by the town can be cancelled. The Selectmen requested that Agent C. A. E. Peterson be so notified.

Certificates of character signed.

Certification of Incorporation of the UCT notice read and character reference for Edward H. Hood, 28 Montview Road, and Wilfred Pare of 114 Gorham St. signed.

Pole Location Hearing.

Pole Location Hearing conducted at 7:45 P.M. for 1 Pole Location on Graniteville Road, C-8127, 1/9/59, by MEElec.Co. to clarify company records. No abutters were present to object. The petition was then signed by all members.

Hearing for Gasoline Stobage License.

At 8:30 P.M. a Public Hearing was conducted on the application of Walter F. Lewis for storage of 2,000 gallons of gasoline underground at 172 Robin Hill Road. Mr. Lewis was present and turned over all the registered mail return receipts signed by abutters. There were no objections. Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00 Adv. Costs: $5.50

Sealed Bids were opened in the upstairs hall in the presence of quite a few representatives of the various bidders. Bids were opened between 8:00 and 8:30 P.M. for purchase of Police and Highway Equipment, listed as follows:

Sealed Bids for Purchase of Highway Equipment & Police Cruisers Opened.

Name of Company	Police	........Highway	Department.......		
	Cruisers	Truck	Plows	Spreader	Cleaner
Roger Boyd	$3,809.85	$4,365.			
Lowell Motor Sal.	4,750.00	3,861.			
Eastern Trk.Sales		4,774.			
Beauchemin		4,698.			
Pierce Ford Sales		4,200.			
Towers Motor Parts					$670. & $450.
Imrie					530.
John W. Taylor					329.
Files Equip. Co.					545.
Sandberg				$1,810	790.
Hedge & Mattheis			(Low of 4: $5,016.		735.
Clark-Wilcox Co.			$7,350.		998. & $540.
Melby					589.
E.W. Systrom Co.			$4,770.		661.50
Rock Drillers Co.,Inc.					350.
New Engl. Rd. Mach. Co.			$5,850.		
Charles N. Wood Co.			6,270.		
Tor Lok Mfg. Co.			6,654.	$2,302.	
Shanahan Eq. Corp.			4,417.08		
Bleiler Equip. Co.			4,540.	1,929.	
Anderson			5,894.		
"			5,394.		
Perkins Mach. Co.				2,106.	
H. F. Davis				2,185.	

Two bids from Herrick Co. to be returned as they arrived after 8:00 P.M. All bids taken under advisement.

All bids taken under advisement.

Inquiry from Rep. Edith N. Rogers regarding continuance of a trailer park on Littleton Road read and the Recording Clerk was requested to send reply and state park to continue but cannot be enlarged.

Reply to be sent to Rep. Rogers re: Trailer Park.

Statement of Officers, addresses and compensation of each of American Legion Post 313, regarding their Club License, to be forwarded to ABC.

Statement of Officials of Post 313 to be mailed to ABC.

At 9:00 P.M. a hearing was held on the acceptance of Beech Street and Warren C. Lahue, William J. DeSelle, Wm. J. Swallow and John M. McGreevy were present. No one objected to the acceptance of the street but Mr. McGreevy inquired about correction of drainage problems.

Street Acceptance Hearings.

At 9;15 P.M. a hearing was held on the acceptance of Aberdeen Street and Thomas W. Sugden and Charles R. Benjamin were present. No one objected to the acceptance.

Harold M. Tucke, Jr., Wiring Inspector, conferred with the Selectmen regarding the adoption of commercial rates for wiring inspections. After some discussion, on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to adopt the following-listed schedule:

Conference with Wiring Inspector re: Rates for commercial installations.

Schedule adopted for Commercial installations

For:		
200 Amp. Service	....	$ 10.00
400 " "	....	15.00
600 " "	....	20.00
800 " "	....	25.00
1,000. " "	....	30.00
1,200. " "	....	35.00

Also when additional load centers are added, there will be an additional fee..

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 19, 1959.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew & Mr. Greenwood were present..

Street Acceptance Hearings

Street Acceptance Hearings were conducted as follows:

At 7:00 P.M. for Scott Drive. Those present were Peter S. & Marianne Pedulla, Hugh F. & Geraldine L. O'Brien, Eugene J.. & Evelyn M. DiBenedetto, Francis R. & Clara L. White,. William & Jacqueline Underwood, There were no objections and the layout was signed..

At 7:10 P.M. for Larssen Circle. No persons were present to object. The layout was signed.

At 7:20 P.M. for Diane Lane.. Those present included Earle G. and Evelyn Byers, James A. & Elena C. Bowman, and Joseph M.. and Marjorie A. Falcone. No one objected to the the acceptance and the layout was signed..

At 7:30 P.M. for Buckman Drive.. Those present included Peter J. and Marie S. Cardillo, Clifford J.. & Barbara L. Thompson, and William H. & Jane B. Drury, James D. & Charmain E. Kellett, H. Charles & Pauline B. Lazzara, Charles J. and Alice Marderosian. There were no objections and the layout was signed..

At 7:45 P.M.. for Woodlawn Avenue. Blair E. & Joan M. Finnegan, Odesseus & Anastasia Chiungos, Joseph L. & Barbara M. Lukas, Nathan Mercer, were present. There were no objections and the layout was signed.

At 8:00 P.M. for Rogers Road. Those present were Cedric A. & Rita A. Kinch, Arthur H. & Lillian I. Cabana, George A. & Edna A. Ducharme, Jerome N. & Fay E. Spinazola, James & Gizelle Vrouhas, Led M. Clark,. There were no objections and the layout was signed.

At 8:10 for Latch Road. No abutters were present. There were no objections and the layout was signed.

At 8:20 for Chestnut Avenue. John R. and Mary J. Duggan, Kenneth A. & Natalie E. Wallace, John A. & Ellen A. Strom, Jon L. & Shirley A. Heslin, Earl R. and Alice G. Ekstrom, were present. There were no objections and thelayout was signed.

At 8:30 P.M. for Spruce St. John A. & Ellen A. Strom, James A. Jr. & June M. Healy, Richard L. & Elsie J. Taylor were present. There were no objections and the layout was signed.

at 8:40 P.M. for Walnut St. Those present were Richard A. & Joanne H. Mank, William R. & Anna M. Barnett, Richard H. & Pauline M. Burke,. There were no objections and the layout was signed.

At 8:50 P.M. for Lemire Court. Those present included Richard M. & Barbara C. Kelley,. There were no objections and the layout was signed.

At 9:00 P.M. for Anna Street. George H. and Helen E. O'Neil, William R. and Virginia E. Ledwell, Paul L. and Alice M. Poirier, Howard E. and Carlotta Heske, Richard M. & Barbara C. Kelley were present. There were no objections and the layout was signed.
At 9:10 P.M. for Bailey Terrace. Peter F. & Catherine R. Curran, Francis J. and Rita E. Dalli, were present. There were no objections and the layout was signed.
At 9:15 P.M. for Navillus Street. James D. Doyle, Edith M. Doherty, were present. They did not object and the layout was signed.
At 9:20 P.M. for Dorrence Street. Patrick F. & Mary T. Gilbride, Bernard J. and Mary M. Callery, William E. & Blanche Y. Mitchell, Thomas E. and Anna G. Callery, James D. Doyle and Edith M. Doherty were present.
At 9:25 P.M. for Arlington Street. Patrick F. & Mary T. Gilbride, Bernard J. & Mary M. Callery were present. There were no objections and the layout was signed.
At 9:30 P.M. for East Sheppard Lane. Henry L. & Laura B. Wilson, Frederick J. and Anna M. Sieber, Cleon L. and Edna M. Lawrence, and Paul O. & Mary T. Nicodemus were present. There were no objections and the layout was signed.

Street

Acceptance

Hearings.

Permission was granted to:
The Kiwanis Club of Chelmsford, Inc. for a Carnival to be conducted from June 22nd to June 27th, 1959.
American Legion Auxiliary, Post 212, for Sale of Poppies on May 22nd and May 23, 1959.
The above action was in the form of a motion by Mr. Greenwood and seconded by Mr. McAndrew and voted unanimously in both cases.

Permission granted for:

Carnival

Poppy Day

Application for Seasonal All Alcoholic Packages Store from Chelmsford Wine Shop, Inc. read and to go on file.

Application for Seasonal Package Store License to go on filed

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to have Compulsory Liability and Property Damage Insurance for town vehicles written through the Hennessy Agency Office.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Compulsory Automobile Ins. policy to be written by Hennessy Agency.

Regular Meeting of Board of Selectmen, Feb. 26, 1959.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew, & Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

Fire Chief, Ernest Ryam, met with the Selectmen regarding the need for a four-wheel drive Forest Fire Truck instead of the conventional drive; difference in cost estimated to be $1,500. No final decision was reached although the Fire Chief strongly urged that the four-wheel drive equipment be purchased.

Conference with Fire Chief re: Forest Fire Truck.

At 8:00 P.M. hearing for Pole Location on Middlesex St. to serve Proctor Lumber Co. was cancelled at request of MEElec.Co.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the MEElec. Co. & NET&TC. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Crooked Spring Road #8134 dated 1/27/59. Earle M. and Concetta M. Anderson were present and after examining plans available, offered no objections. Then the petition was signed by all members.

Pole Location Hearings

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:30 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the MEElec. Co. and NET&TC. for 2 Joint Pole Locations and 1 Joint Pole Location on Westford St. #C-8136, dated 1/30/9. No abutters were present to object and the petition was signed by all members.

Conference with Town Clerk & Town Treasurer & Tax Collector re Office & Vault space.

Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf, Town Clerk, and Mr. Walter Wilkins, Treas. & Tax Collector, were present and conferred with the Selectmen regarding their needs for office and vault space. No final decision was reached during this conference and later in the evening it was decided that the Town Clerk should have the smaller front office, the Treasurer & Tax Collector should have the larger rear office, and that a partition should be erected from the vault door to hall door and each official would share part of the vault; each having his or her section under lock & key, and the heavy equipment would be moved to the Selectmen's Office and the Selectmen's Office would move upstairs.

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:45 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the MEElec. Co. for 1 Pole Location on Chamberlain Road, #C-8141, dated 2/9/9. No persons were present to object and the petition was signed by all members.

Regignation of Election Officer.

Letter read from Louis Hannaford in which he offered his resignation as an Election Officer, Warden for Precinct 1.

Appointment of Election Officer.

Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint Irving J. Phillips, 40 Littleton Road, as Election Officer, Warden for Precinct 1.

Loud Speaker System for McFarlin Gym to be installed for Town Meeting.

It was decided to wire the McFarlin Gymnasium for the Town Meeting overflow.

Police Officers to be commended.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew it was voted unanimously that certain commendations of service be recorded in the personnel records of Officers Alan E. Greenhalgh, James J. Kerrigan, William A. Anderson and Robert E. Germann.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Mar. 5, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Jurors Drawn.

Two jurors were drawn in the presence of the Town Clerk. They were:
1. By Mr. McAndrew: Lewis Prager.
2. By Mr. George: Henry A. Labelle.

Selectmen organize for ensuing year.

The Selectmen then organized for the new ensuing year. On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously that Mr. McAndrew serve as Chairman. Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously that Mr. George serve as Clerk.

Park Commissioner and Planning Board Member resign.

Resignations of two elected officals were then discussed after the reading of various communications on the subject. Mr. Harold E. Clayton, Jr. resigned as a Planning Board Member and Mr. Bradford O. Emerson resigned as a Park Commissioner. It was decided to hold a joint meeting with the Park Commissioners to elect a new member on March 12th.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the NET&TC. for 1 Pole Location on Housatonic Ave., 1 on St. Nicholas Ave., and 2 on Clinton Ave. #441, dated 2/4/9. Mr. Dagris of St. Nicholas Ave. was present but did not object. Then the petition was signed by all members.

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:30 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the NET&TC. for approx. 300 ft. of underground conduit on Chelmsford St., for Highway Purposes, #442, dated 2/12/9. No persons were present to object. Petition was signed by all members.

Underground conduit hearing.

At 8:35 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the NET&TC. for approx. 300 ft. of underground conduit on Golden Cove Road, for Highway Purposes, #443, dated 2/12/59. No persons were present to object. The petition was then signed by all members.

Underground conduit hearing.

Mr. Edward McMahon, architect for the Perley Gilbert Associates, conferred with the Selectmen regarding the proposed changes in the plans for the new highway garage. After a long conference, it was finally decided to open sub-bids on 3/24/9 and general bids on 3/26/9 at 8:00 P.M.

Conference with architect for new highway garage.

Then a long conference ensued with the Street Supt., Frederick R. Greenwood, regarding the various bids of highway equipment. Finally amounts were selected for the motions to be presented at town meeting.

Conference with St. Supt. re: new highway equipment.

It was decided to instruct the Town Counsel to proceed immediately with the destruction of the partially destroyed building on Sixth Ave. This action was made in the form of a motion by Mr. Greewood and seconded by Mr. George, and voted unanimously.

Selectmen vote to demolish damaged building.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Mar. 13, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. George was unable to attend. Mr. McAndrew presided.

Members present.

Mr. Edward W. Paulauskas conferred with the Selectmen about the granting of a Class II Auto Dealer's License for premises at 81 Tyngsboro Road, formerly licensed under name of Robert Perron. Finally the license was granted in the name of Ed's Used Cars. Fee: $15.00

Class II Used Car Dealers License Granted.

A bill from Atty. Donahoe for legal services for three members of the Police Dept. in the amount of $800. read and it was decided to request the Town Counsel for an opinion as to what procedure to follow as to payment, such as special article or to pay from existing account in legal budget with sufficient balance.

Legal opinion to be requested re Police Dept. Court Case.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted by the majority present to award the contract for the purchase of three police cruisers to Roger Boyd, Inc. for $3,809.85, per bid received.

Contract awarded for Police Cruisers.

Contract awarded for new Highway Truck.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted by the majority present to award the contract for the purchase of a Truck chassis, cab and body to the Lowell Motor Sales, Inc. for amount of $3,861.00 per bid received.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Colburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Mar. 19, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Meeting with Insurance Advisory Committee

Members of the Insurance Advisory Committee, Eustace B. Fiske, Roger P. Welch and Henrick R. Johnson, conferred with the Selectmen regarding the placing of Extended Coverage Insurance on all town buildings, per vote at the Annual Town Meeting. After a long discussion, on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to place extended coverage on all existing policies effective March 19, 1959 and that the rate will be established by the rating bureau and also all present policies shall be increased by 10% with the exception of those which include the new high school.

Extended Coverage voted for all buildings.

Street Light Requested.

Mr. Edgar Hunt was present to request a street light for Littleton Road. Information as to pole number was given to the Recording Clerk.

Meeting scheduled with Park Commissioners & Planning Board.

It was decided to meet with the Park Commissioners at 9:00 PM. and Planning Board at 9:15 P.M. to elect new members to each board on March 26th.

Insurance on Zaher Home to be cancelled.

It was decided to inform Mr. Carl A. E. Peterson by letter that the insurance policy covering the Zaher home should be cancelled, as documented evidence was now available to show that the homestead was not included in the Land Taking for School Purposes as recorded at the Registry. The Selectmen compared the plan and the taking it was definitely established that the two were not in agreement.

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was scheduled for March 12th and later conducted on March 13th. Later each abutter was contacted and no one objected. The hearing was on the petition of the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. & NET&TC. for 8 Pole Locations and 7 Pole Location Abandonments on Locke Road, C-8145, dated 2/11/0 for reconstruction purposes. Petition was signed by all members.

Animal Inspector nominated.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to nominate Dr. W. E. Merrill as Animal Inspector.

Selectmen vote to proclaim Scholarship Month.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to proclaim the month of April 1959 as "Town of Chelmsford Scholarship Fund, Inc. month."

Weighers of Mdse. voted.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint the following-named persons as Weighers of Merchandise for the Southwell Combing Co: David Hamer, Joseph Bomal, Alfred Ducharme, Paul Westwood, Joseph

Foley, Arthur Arsenault, Edward Whitworth, James Robinson and Robert Malley.

Weighers appointed.

It was decided that the notice of award for the contract for purchase of three police cruisers should now be prepared for the successful bidder, Roger Boyd, Inc. and that the amount of the award shall be $3,709.85, as two cruisers will be equipped with Leece-Neville Alternators and one with the Delco-Remy Alternator.

Award contract for Police Cruisers.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 26, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. George arrived at approximately 8:50 P.M. The meeting commenced at 8:00 P.M.

Members present.

At 8:00 P.M. Sealed Bids for the Construction of a Highway Garage were opened in the presence of a number of representatives of construction firms, the architect, Mr. Edmond McMahon and other interested persons. The bids are listed as follows:

1.	F.A. Burgoyne & Sons	$74,000.	Alt#1	$1,099.	Alt#2	$6500.
2.	D.& D. Contracting Co.	74,524.	"	"	"	5200.
3.	Sebastian DiFelice	79,000.	"	"	"	5300.
4.	W.W.Granger Co.	75,359.	"	"	"	4833.
5.	Greicci Const. Co.	73,989.	"	1,125.	"	5400.
6.	Pioneer Const Co.	83,205.	"	1,099.	"	4000.
7.	Robinson & Robinson	76,540.	"	"	"	7347.
8.	Singleton Const. Co.	80,888.	"	980.	"	3500.
9.	Frank W. Tomasello Co.	92,754.	"	1,099.	"	6939.

Sealed Bids Opened for construction of Highway Garage.

Then the bids were taken under advisement. Mr. McMahon examined the two lowest bids and then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to instruct the architect to confer with the Greicci Const. Co. to determine if the final award should be made to that firm.

Bids taken under advisement

At 8:15 P.M. at which time no interested persons appeared, a hearing was scheduled for several pole locations on Crooked Spring Road, C-8159, dated 2/25/59 by the NEElec. Co. & NET&T Co. No one objected to the petition and it was then signed by all members.

Pole Location Hearing.

A petition for 9 Pole Location Abandonments on Graniteville Rd. C-8161, dated 2/25/9 by NEElec. Co. and NET&TC. was signed. No hearing was required. Petition was signed by all members.

Pole Location Abandonment petition signed.

A joint meeting was held with the Park Commissioners, A. Louis Bennett and Ralph E. House to elect a new member to the Park Commission to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Bradford O. Emerson. Mr. Greenwood cast one ballot to elect David F. Ramsey, 50 Gay St., North Chelmsford and all those present voted unanimously to elect Mr. Ramsey.

Park Commissioner appointed.

Then a joint meeting was held with the Planning Board members with Bradford O. Emerson, Charles D. Harrington, Allan A. Ludwig, Claude J. Harvey and George R. Dupee, being present. Mr. Harold J. Pearson was not present. Alfred H. Coburn was

Planning Board Member appointed.

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elected teller by unanimous vote. Ballots were distributed to all concerned and Mr. Coburn announced the results of the balloting. On the first ballot the voters were cast for A. Louis Bennett 3 votes, Howard E. Humphrey 2 votes, Geo. Stott 2 votes and Myles J. Hogan 1 vote. On the second ballot the votes were cast for A. Louis Bennett 5 votes and Howard E. Humphrey 3 votes. Mr. Bennett was elected by a majority.

Special Police Officers Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greewood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint sundry persons as Special Police Officers as follows, without pay from the Town of Chelmsford.
For Private Duty: David F. McAndrew, Joseph H. Dunigan, John H. Dixon, George R. Dison.
For North Dump Duty: Isadore Needham.
For High School Duty: William F. Connor and John W. Carruthers.
For All School Duty: Mark H. Norton.
For North Town Hall: Joseph L. Larocque.
For South Chelmsford VIA: Edward Whalen and Gerald P. Chandler.
Then Police Officers of the City of Lowell, Towns of Billerica, Westford, and Tyngsboro were appointed Special Officers for emergencies without pay from Town of Chelmsford,. per list on file.

Insurance coverage to be increased.

It was decided that additional insurance coverage on town buildings should be placed with the Henrick F. Johnson Agency and that a total of $40,000. should be added to present policies eff: 3/27/9.

Legal Opinion re: Land Court to be requested.

Land Court notice of hearing pertaining to Howard land on Concord Road to be forwarded to the Town Counsel..

Drainage problem discussed.

Mr. Wm. Dawes present regarding drainage problem on North Road and he was informed that the St. Supt. would be requested to commence corrective action in the very near future.

Annual Appointments made.

Then the Selectmen made their annual appointments listed as follows:

On a motion by Mr. George and seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint:

* Board of Selectmen, Recording Clerk: Alfred H. Coburn
* " " " Financial Clerk: Frances B. Cummings
* Superintendent of Streets: Frederick R. Greenwood.
* Town Counsel: John H. Valentine.
* Supt. of Burials of Indigent Soldiers & Sailors: Cortlandt J. Burkinshaw.
* Dog Officer: Frank Wojtas.
* Wiring Inspector: Harold M. Tucke, Jr.
* Zoning Appeal Board Alternates: Eliot W. Remick
James O. Robinson
* Veterans' Agent Terrence E. O'Rourke.
* Terms expire: 3/1960.

Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint:

Registrar of Voters: (Term expires: 1962.) John J. Carr
* Janitors of Public Halls: Center: Thomas M. Elliott
North: Joseph L. Larocque
* Building Inspector: Joseph G. Demers
Zoning Appeal Board (Term expires: 1964) Richard B. Carr.
* Moth Superintendent: Myles J. Hogan.
* Veterans' Emergency Fund Committee: George S. Archer, Joseph J. Sadowski, Perry T. Snow, John J. McNulty, George F. Waite and Alfred H. Coburn.

Annual appointments made.

Appointments to the Civil Defense Committee, Honor Roll Committee and Industrial Development Commission were deferred.

Then the Town Forest Committee Members were unanimously appointed as follows:
Edward B. Russell, Term exp: 3/1962.
Robert E. Ficken " " 3/1961.
Martin K. Bovey " " 3/1960.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Colburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
April 2, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present. Mr. McAndrew was unable to attend due to illness.

Mr. George presided.

Conference with Industrial Development Commission.

The Selectmen met for a short while with members of the Industrial Development Commission to listen to the proposal of two developers regarding the need for re-zoning of land near Old Westford Road and Parkhurst Road to be used for a shopping center.

Award of contract to build highway garage made.

Mr. Edmond McMahon, Architect for the new highway garage, was present and a representative of the Greicci Const. Co. The Selectmen then signed the contract for building the garage and Mr. McMahon advised both parties.

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was conducted on the petition of the MEElec. Co. and NET&TC. for 10 Pole Locations on Graniteville Road, dated 2/26/59, C-8162, to serve Edward Gagnon. No persons appeared to object. The petition was signed by all members. Later this petition was returned to the MEElec. Co. as it was discovered that the plan was incorrectly drawn.

Award of contracts to purchase

Then the Selectmen awarded contracts for the purchase of various pieces of highway equipment after a conference with the St. Supt., Mr. Greenwood. Votes of this action follow:

Steam Cleaner

1. To purchase a Steam Cleaner: Mr. Morey Levine was present and advised the board about the product his firm bid on. On a motion by Mr. Greewood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to award the contract to the Towers Motor Parts Corp. for $450., (Alternate Bid).

Snow Plows

2. To purchase Six Snow Plows: On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to award the contract to the Files Equipment Co. for $5,208.00., with 2% cash discount.

Sand Spreader

3. To purchase Sand Spreader: On a motion by Mr. George seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted to award the contract to the Sandberg Equipment Co. for initial bid of $1,810.00 plus the full motor enclosure for $40.00, with 2% Cash Discount.

Animal Inspector appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted to appoint Dr. Winslow E. Merrill as Animal Inspector, term to expire: 3/1960.

Pole Location Petition signed.

A petition for 2 Joint Pole Locations; one on Acton Road and 1 on Middlesex St., C-8172, dated 3/12/9 from MEElec. Co. & NET&TC. signed. No hearing was required. The Petition was then signed by both members.

Conference with Industrial Development Commission.

Then the Board met with the Industrial Development Commission members, Arthur B. Worthley, Jr., Raymond T. Osborn, A. Louis Bennett, Carl A. E. Peterson, William R. Kiernan, Jr. and Leslie H. Adams, regarding the re-appointment of the members whose terms were expiring. Mr. Bennett and Mr. Osborn signified their desire not to be reappointed due to outside activities. After a conference as to aims and projects to be considered, the meeting ended.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 9, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Sealed Bids for Highway Supplies and Equipment opened.

At 8:30 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened for Highway Supplies and Equipment. Various representatives of the firms bidding were present. Each bid was read aloud. All bids were taken under advisement and sent to the Street Superintendent for his study. It was decided that in the future these bids were to be opened by the Street Supt in his own office.

Memorial Day Committee Members appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint John N. Leonard, Clarence H. Dane, and Charles N. LaRock as Memorial Day Committee Members from Post 212. At this time it was decided that the two other legion posts should be requested to forward a letter containing list of names of nominees for the Memorial Day Committee.

Notices to be mailed to Rep. & Senator & Health Bd. Re: Mtg. in Lowell with City Mgr.

It was decided that letters should be forwarded to the Board of Health, Seantor Francis Lappin and Representative Vernon Fletcher notifying them of a meeting with the City of Manager of Lowell, at City Hall on April 16, 1959 at 10:00 A.M. to discuss the dump problem at city line and Stedman St.

Ind. Dev. Comm. Memb. appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint the following-named persons as members of the Industrial Development Commission for terms of two years each: Gerald J. Lannan, Howard Humphrey and Forrest E. Dupee.

Meeting to be held with Mr. Sugden.

It was decided that a joint meeting should be held with Mr. Thomas W. Sugden to discuss the type of fence to be erected near dynamite storage plant at base of Chestnut Hill. It was decided to conduct this meeting on April 16, 1959 and that Mr. Sugden should be so notified.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 16, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, and Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Members present.

The following-listed licenses were granted:

SUNDAY LICENSES: (All renewals.) Fees: $4.00 each.

1. Timothy Emanouil, d/b/a Emanouil Bros., Route 110.
2. Thomas E. Firth, Jr. & Clifford E. Firth, d/b/a Firth Farms, Gorham St.
3. Nicholas Emanouil, d/b/a Nick's Texaco, 8 Littleton Road.
4. Lulack M. Jamros, Groton Road.
5. Carl Ulricson, 54 Chelmsford St.
6. Charles J. Connor & Johl L. Fish, d/b/a The Triangle Store, 148 Groton Road.
7. Lorraine Lachut, d/b/a Vinal Sq. Variety, 1 Groton Road.
8. Fred L. Gefteas, d/b/a Skip's Diner, 116 Chelmsford St.
9. Sam Abdallah, d/b/a North Road Graage, 374 North Road.
10. George Marchand, Jr., d/b/a Marchand's Market, 321 Acton Road.
11. Mrs. Theodore P. Chianis, d/b/a Ted's Market, 273 Chelmsford St.
12. George Cummings, d/b/a Cummings Atlantic, 188 Princeton St.
13. Fred's Gulf Service, 1-9 Princeton St.,
14. Frost & Co., Druggists, Vinal Sq.,
15. Harold C. Hurst, d/b/a Harold's Socony Station, 112 Tyngsboro Road.
16. Arthur P. Kirk, 213 Princeton St.
17. Eleftherios Liakos, d/b/a P.&J. Service Station, 133 Princeton St.
18. C. Richmond Page, d/b/a Page's Drug Store, 35 Central Sq.
19. Anthony Privitera, d/b/a "Tony & Ann's," Tyngsboro Road.
20. Leonard Olenchak, d/b/a Dottie's Doughnut Shop, 9 Fletcher St.
21. William Vaipan, d/b/a Bill and Andy's, 30 Chelmsford St.
22. Joseph A. Thiffault, d/b/a Art's Filling Station, 206 Boston Road.
23. George Swallow, et al, d/b/a A-Ba-Co., Inc., 66 Middlesex St.
24. Anthony & James Vasilopoulos, d/b/a King Doughnut, 195 Princeton Blvd.
25. John B. Wrighley, d/b/a Varney Playground,
26. John B. Wrigley, d/b/a Central Square.
27. John J. McEnaney, d/b/a McEnaney's Market, 65 Middlesex St.
28. William F. Grogan, d/b/a Bill's Food Store, 175 Dalton Road.
29. A. S. Bentas, d/b/a The Wishbone, Concord Road.
30. Frank W., Susan E. Mason, d/b/a Chelmsford Trailer Park, Inc., 270 Littleton Rd.
31. Mrs. Nelson's Candy House, 292 Chelmsford St.
32. John Kydd & Sons, Inc., 116 Chelmsford St.
33. R. Boucher, d/b/a Dairy Queen, 110 Tyngsboro Road. (Roland Boucher)
34. Raymond E. Secor, d/b/a Secor's Market, 75 Middlesex St.
35. Orman W. Leland, d/b/a Westland Motors, 293 Chelmsford St.
36. Wilfred Pare, d/b/a Pare's Grocery, 114 Gorham St.
37. Ella M. Strick, 173 Chelmsford St.
38. George K. Hill, 10 Vinal Sq.
39. Robert A. Capella, 108 Concord Road.
40. Middlesex Miniature Golf, Inc., by Geo. E.Gagnon, Jr., 185 Middlesex St.

Licenses Approved.

BOWLING: Charles F. Dinnigan, d/b/a North Chelmsford Bowling Alleys, 20 Vinal Sq. Fee:$30.

JUNK COLLECTOR'S LICENSE (Renewals) $5.00 Fee.

1. Eric Forsten, 24 Grand St., Lowell, Mass.
2. Mel Gladstone, 737 Boston Road, Billerica, Mass.
3. Giles L. Whitney, 567 Princeton Blvd., Lowell, Mass.
4. Edward R. Dixon, 24 Edgewood Road, Tewksbury, Mass.
5. Ernest Dureault, 198 Tyngsboro Road, North Chelmsford, Mass.

AUCTIONEER'S LICENSES: (Renewals) Fee: $2.00 each.

1. Eliot W. Remick, 219 Westford St.
2. Theodore W. Emerson, 11 North Road.

Inquiries re: Drainage problem on High Street.

Letters were received from Mr. and Mrs. J. Benson Wells and Mrs. Edward J. Greenblatt in which they called attention to the drainage conditions on High Street and the need for additional catch basins read and it was decided that, after visiting the area on April 11, 1959, no additional drains would be installed and that they should be so notified.

Pole Re-Location petition.

Petition for 1 Pole Re-Location on Westford Street, C-8187 dated 3/31/59, by NEElec. Co. and NET&TC. to serve Pine Hill Estates signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Inquiry re: Phone for Dump, & Removal of dilapated building.

Isadore Needham was present to request a phone at the dump to call fire department in case of an emergency and the subject of the demolishing of a damaged house near his residence. The first matter taken under advisement and he was informed that the second matter was in the process of being taken care of.

Problem of Lowell Dump in Town of Chelmsford.

Engineering plan of Lowell-Chelmsford line at dumping area now being used by Lowell displayed and it was stated that the city had been actually dumping on Chelmsford land. It was stated that a conference had been held with the Lowell City Manager and the members were hopeful that conditions would improve substantially.

Sealed Bids for Fire Truck Opened.

In the presence of two company representatives and the Fire Chief, Ernest Byam, Sealed Bids for the Purchase of a Forest Fire Truck were opened. They follow:

1.	Maxim Motor Company	$12,390.00
2.	Maynard Fire Apparatus Co.	10,650.00

Bids taken under advisement.

It was decided to take the bids under advisement and then each company representative was permitted to explain his truck and the many features. Pictures and drawings were displayed.

Police patrolmen appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was unanimously voted to appoint Robert E. German, 77 Bridge St. and Donald J. Butler, 5 Erlin Road, as Regular Patrolmen of the Police Dept., effective May 1, 1959.

Conference with Mr. Sugden re: fence for dynamite storage.

A Conference was then conducted with Thomas W. Sugden regarding the specifications of the fence to be erected around the dynamite explosive storage plants at base of Chestnut Hill. It was finally decided that a chain link fence, 6 feet high, with three strands of barbed wire on top, should encircle each storage facility and they shall not be placed less than ten feet from each building and that all vegatation for 50 feet beyond each fence shall be cleared. These specifications appeared to meet with the approval of Mr. Sugden all all board members.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 23, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Licenses granted.

The following-listed licenses were granted:

THEATRE LICENSE: (Renewal) Fee: $300.00
Chelmsford Drive-In, Inc., Route 110, Chelmsford, Mass.
COMMON VICTUALER: (Renewal) Fee: $5.00
Chelmsford Drive-In, Inc., Route 110, Chelmsford, Mass.
MINIATURE GOLF COURSE: (Renewal) Fee: $15.00
Middlesex Miniature Golf, Inc., adjacent to 185 Middlesex St., North Chelmsford.
SUNDAY LICENSES: Fee: $4.00
Chelmsford Drive-In, Inc., Route #110, Chelmsford, Mass. (New)
Charles Ballos, d/b/a Ballos Diner, 17-19 Vinal Sq., North Chelmsford. (Renewal.)

Certain insurance policies to be renewed.

Mr. Eustace B. Fiske was present to inquire if the renewal policies could be prepared for the Public Liability and Firemen Accident Policies. He was instructed to renew both.

Street Light requested.

Request for street lights in new development read and filed with street light requests for future disposition.

Bill for repairs to driveway to be returned to sender.

Estimate from Mr. J. Benson Wells of High Street for $325.00 to repair his driveway to be returned to him as the Selectmen feel the town not liable for this claim.

Sealed Bid opened for sale of town land, & vote to sell land.

Then Sealed Bids were opened for the Sale of Town Owned Land. One bid was received from Mr. Guy and Mrs. Mae Whitworth. Mr. Whitworth was present. The Bid offered $300.00 for the purchase of the land. Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to sell the land to the Whitworths and that the Town Counsel be instructed to draw a deed to transfer title.

Hearing for underground conduit.

Petition for 45 feet of underground conduit on North Road, by NET&TC., #444, 3/31/59 considered. A hearing was held at 8:30 P.M. and Mr. Jeremiah A. Casey of the NET&TC. was present. There were no objections and the petition was signed by all members.

Hearing for Pole Locations.

At 8:45 P.M. a hearing was held for 10 Joint Pole Locations on Graniteville Road by NEElec. Co. and NET&TC., C-8162, dated 2/26/59. No abutters were present to object. Then the petition was signed by all members.

Conference with Fire Chief re: purchase of fire truck.

Then a long conference ensued with the Fire Chief, Ernest Byam, and Mr. Herman J. Maynard, regarding the merits of both bids received for the new forest fire truck. Finally it was decided to wait another week to allow the Selectmen to investigate the qualifications and past record of the Maynard Company. It was stated at this time that bids might be called again before any award is made.

Weighers of merchandise appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George it was voted unanimously to appoint the following-named Weighers of Merchandise for duty at the Geo. C. Moore Wool Scouring Mills: J. Henry Duffy, Frederick W. Knox, Francis J. Sakalinski, Medéric Tousignant, John J. Hehir, James W. Coughlin, Elfstrom V. Johnson and Edgar Theriault.

Request City of Lowell to cease dumping on Chelmsford Land.

It was decided that a letter should be sent immediately to the Lowell City Manager calling attention to the fact that the City of Lowell is dumping waste material on land within the limits of the Town of Chelmsford, and to request that this dumping cease forthwith.

Inquiry to Town Counsel re: Boston Rd. nuisance.

It was decided to request the Town Counsel to investigate all possibilities for improving conditions at business establishment of Joseph A. Thiffault.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 30, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present..

License approved.

A Common Victualer's License was granted to Roland Boucher, d/b/a Dairy Queen, 110 Tyngsboro Road, North Chelmsford. Fee: $5.00 (New)

Petition for removal of four poles.

Petition for removal of four poles on Tadmuch Road, by NET&TC., #445, dated 4/23/59, signed by all members.. No hearing required.

Discussion re: Purchase of New Fire Truck

Vote to award contract for purchase of New Fire Truck.

Conference with the Fire Chief and Mr. Herman J. Maynard of the Maynard Fire Equipment, Co. followed and later after a long discussion, on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for the purchase of the Forest Fire Truck to the Maynard Co. Then the contracts were signed.

Sealed Bids for Moth & Tree Warden's Dept. opened.

Sealed Bids were then opened for the hiring of equipment by the Moth and Tree Warden's Dept. The bids follow:
Fogging Equipment - Whitman Insect Control & Eq. Co.
Bid of $22.00 per hour for eq. materials and labor.
From Community Tree Service Co. for:
Truck, Tree Mover, Compressor & chipper and Hydraulic sprayer, skid mounted: All $3.00 per hour..
Power Saw Hire: $1.00 per hour..
Hydraulic Spray for Ivy spray: $2.00 per hour.

County Engineer to be requested to replace road bound.

The Recording Clerk was requested to notify the County Commissioners that the bound at Parkhurst Road and Westford St. is missing and should be replaced..

Notice of appointments of Asst. Town Clerk.

Notices of appointment of Louise M. Greig and Dorothy E. Wright as Assistant Town Clerks received and read..

Memorial Day Committee members appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint Joseph J. Sadowski, B. C. Smith, and Donald Rafferty as Memorial Day Committee Members.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 7, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, and Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Licenses Granted.

The following Auctioneer's Licenses were granted:
1. Bradford O. Emerson, 143 High St., Renewal.
2. Arthur Pratt, 6 McFarlin Road, New

Mr. Joseph Lukas appeared before the Selectmen to ask about the plans for making Tadmuck Road a dead-end road. He said it shouldnot be allowed to continue. The Selectmen agreed to confer with the road engineer to see what arrangements could be made to eliminate any dead-end roads.

Inquiry re: Dead-End for Tadmuck Road.

Mr. Adelard A. Tousignant appeared and asked that he receive a letter from the Selectmen showing he had permission to operate a taxicab business in Chelmsford, such letter would then allow him permission to operate in Ayer and Fort Devens which he was endeavoring to obtain. The letter was prepared, signed by all members and presented to Mr. Tousignant.

Taxi License granted.

Mr. Edmund J. Welch was present regarding the continuance of the dump nuisance at the city line. It was stated that the City of Lowell was continuing to dump on Chelmsford land. A letter from the State Dept. of Public Health was read showing that they, too, were alarmed over present conditions involving public health. Later Rep. Vernon Fletcher met with the Selectmen and after a conference as to best methods of placing a court enacted restraining order, it was decided that Mr. Fletcher and the Selectmen would confer with the Town Counsel on the following day to commence legal action.. Final action by the Selectmen on this subject was made in the form of a motion by Mr. Greenwood and seconded by Mr. George, and voted unanimously.

Discussions re: Dump Nuisance at Lowell City Line.

At 8:15 P.M. a Public Hearing was conducted on the application of the Common. of Mass. &/OR the Central Const. Co. and Henley Lundgren Co. for storage of Gasoline; 4,000 galls, and Diesel Fuel, 8,000. gallons at 141 Chelmsford Street, for road construction, on a temporary basis. On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00; adv. costs: $6.75.

Hearing for Gasoline Storage.

Mr. Frederick R. Greenwood, St. Supt., was present and conferred with the Selectmen about the various road improvement projects planned for 1959.

Discussion re: Road repair work for 1959.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 14, 1959

Mr. McAndrew, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Members present.

Myles J. Horan and Mr. Finnegan of the Whitman Insect Contol and Eq. Co. were present and Mr. Finnegan explained in detail the reasons for his recent fogging bid of $22.00 per hour. After a short discussion, on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for the Mosquito Spray Project for 1959 to the Whitman Company, per bid received.

Conference with Moth Supt. & Spray Co. Representative re: Fogging spray bid.

Nine persons were present to confer with the Selectmen about the present nuisances at the City of Lowell Dump. It was stated that the city is no longer dumping within the limits of Chelmsford but also the city was not following the orders of the State Public Health Dept. in covering the area at the close of each day. It was finally decided that a letter

Lowell City Dump Nuisance

Lowell City Dump Nuisance.

should be prepared and sent to the State Sanitary Engineer informing him of present conditions and request that the state agency do everything possible to eliminate the nuisance.

Request for Taxi License.

Mr. Floyd Fields was present to request permission to operate a taxi business at Vinal Sq. per his written request of some weeks ago. It was decided that no action would be taken at this meeting but that the subject would be discussed and a decision reached at the May 21st. meeting.

Discussion re widening of Locke Rd.

Offer to give strip of land to town.

Mr. John Gurich was present regarding the need for widening Locke Road and he offered five feet of land along one side of the road, but advised the Selectmen to make a Land Taking before the property is owned by individual homeowners. He said he could not give a deed as it would reduce size of lots and then they would be less than FHA and VA requirements. It was decided to have plans drawn and hold necessary hearings prior to the Special Town Meeting anticipated in the very near future, at which time the five-foot strip would be taken by the town.

Petitions for Pole Re-Locations

The following-described petitions for pole relocations were then signed by the Clerk; no hearing being required for both:

1. One Pole Re-Location on Old Westford Road, for jt. ownership, C-8197, dated 4/7/59, by MEECo. and NET&T.
2. One Pole Re-Location on Old Westford Road, to clear driveway, C-8214, dated 4/30/59, by MEElec. Co. and NET&Tc.

Petition Received for Special Town Meeting.

Attorney Warren Allgrove was present and presented a petition with over 200 certified names requesting a Special Town Meeting to vote on rezoning of Blackie Property.

Selectmen adopt Resolution for Gov. Furcolo to send message to Legislat. for amendmts to Slichter Act.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to adopt a resolution asking that Gov. Furcolo send special message to legislature for enacting amendments to the Slichter Law which would enable the governor to act in case of transportation strikes.

Memorial Day Committee Members appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint Arthur E. Morrell, Thomas E. Firth, Jr., and Joseph F. O'Neil, as members of the Memorial Day Committee, all being representatives of the East Chelmsford Post of American Legion.

Ltr. re: Illegal Land Taking.

It was decided to invite Atty. John Leggatt to the next meeting to discuss the legal matter of land taking of Silva property on Pine Hill Road, without due process of law and that the Street Supt. should also be present.

Selectmen decree that Bldg.Insp. shall notify Roberts Family to cease removing loam from land.

It was decided that a letter should be sent to the Building Inspector requesting him to take immediate steps to prohibit the further removal of loam from land of Helen Roberts on Old Westford Road.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 21, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood & Mr. George were present.

Members present.

Two hearings were held for pole locations as follows:

1. At 8:15 P.M. on petition of MEElec. Co. and NET&TCo., for 1 Joint Pole Location on Worthen St. to support existing lines, C-8195, dated 4/6/59. No abutters were present and the petition was signed by all members.
2. At 8:30 PM. on petition for 5 Joint Pole Locations on Chamberlain Road, C-8204, dated 4/14/59, by MEElec Co. & NET&TCo. for road construction. Messrs. Joseph Lukas and Francis J. Sheehan were present. No one objected to the locations and the petition was signed by all members.

Pole Location Hearings

Mr. Joseph Lukas then thanked the Selectmen for keeping Tadmuck Road open during the road construction and he also requested a street light be installed on Tadmuck Road, and that the Selectmen consider the reconstruction of Chamberlain Road. Then he suggested a road modernization plan and also that the town adopt the one-acre house lot size.

Mr. Lukas appears & speaks on misc. subjects.

Appointment with Atty. Leggatt postponed until June 4th at which time he hopes to have Mr. & Mrs. Silva present.

Apptmt. with Atty Leggatt.

Petition presented to the Selectmen by residents of Swain Road regarding drainage of pond in that vicinity. It was decided to refer the matter to the Board of Health and Mr. McAndrew stated he would confer with the Sanitarian the following day.

Petition rec'd re: Pond near Swain Road referred to Health Dept.

On a motion by Mr. MCAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint Barnard L. George as a permanent patrolman of the Police Department, effective 6/1/59.

Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was unanimously voted to appoint John Campbell as an intermittent patrolman of the Police Department, eff. 5/26/59

Permanent Patrolman & Intermittent Patrolman appointed.

Assistant Town Clerk, Dorothy E. Wright, presented her resignation to Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf in order to coincide with law permitting only one Assistant Town Clerk.

Temp. Tn. Clerk Resigns.

A Temporary Wine and Beer License was granted to the South Chelmsford Gun and Rod Club. Fee: $0.50.

License Granted.

Hearing was scheduled for 8:45 P.M. on the application of Pamphile Palardeau, for license to store 2,000 gallons of gasoline at 69 Middlesex Street. No one appeared at the hearing. The applicant failed to present the registered mail return receipts from the abutters. The license was not signed as the Selectmen will await receipt of the registered mail cards.

Gasoline Storage Hearing.

Application to Peddle for Francis I. Burns signed.

Application to Peddle signed.

Messrs. Stephen Flannery and B. B. Morgan appeared before the Selectmen to discuss the possibility of establishing a Recreation Commission. Literature was left with the Selectmen. The matter was taken under advisement.

Conference with persons int. in Recreation Commission.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 28, 1959.

Members present

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Licenses granted.

The following-named licenses were granted:
AUCTIONEER William E. Riney, 24 North Road, Chelmsford. Renewal. Fee: $2.00
SUNDAY LICENSES: Fee: $4.00
Chandler Robinson, dba North Chelmsford Motors, 25 Vinal Sq., (new)
TEMPORARY WINE AND MALT BEVERAGES: Fee: $0.50
South Chelmsford Rod & Gun Club, Mill Road. (for June 7, 1959.)

Petition for Pole Re-Location.

Petition for 1 Pole Re-Location on Glen Avenue, for reconstruction purposes, C-8221, dated 5/12/59 by MEEC. and NET&TC. signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Spec. Police Officer for Edwards Beach Apptd.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was unanimously voted to appoint Michael A. Scollan a Special Police Officer at the Edwards Beach, without pay from the Town.

Pole Location Hearings.

Then hearings were held on the following pole petitions:

1. At 8:15 P.M. on the location of one pole on Old Westford Road, #446, dated 5/6/59 by NET&TC. No persons were present to object and the petition was signed by all members.
2. At 8:30 P.M. on the location of 7 Joint Poles on Richardson Road, C-8212, dated 4/28/59 by MEEC. and NET&TC. to serve Edwin Grout.. Messrs. Wm. Fulton and Edwin Grout were present but did not object to the locations. Then the petition was signed by all members.
3. At 8:45 P.M. for 2 Pole Locations and 1 Pole Location Abandonment on Old Westford Road, C-8202, dated 4/10/59 by MEEC. and NET&TC. No persons were present to object and the petition was signed by all members.

Letter of Greeting to Mayor of Chelmsford England signed.

A letter of greeting to the Mayor of Chelmsford, England was prepared and signed and to be conveyed to the officials of that community when visited during June 1959 by the Town Clerk, Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf..

Discussion re: Special Town Meeting.

A discussion about the articles for the warrant of the coming Special Town Meeting took place. No definite time for the meeting was decided upon.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, June 4, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Applications to Peddle signed.

Applications to Peddle were signed for the following-named applicants:

1. Constantine S. Bentas, 172 Concord Road, Chelmsford.
2. Francis L. Pasho, 128 Riverneck Road, Chelmsford.
3. Ronald C. Yates, 5 B St., Chelmsford.

Warrant to Dog Officer signed.

A Warrant to the Dog Officer to pick up all unlicensed dogs was signed.

Letter asking for Street Light, and Street Sign, with wording "Latch Road, Dead End Street," received from Maurice Harrison and the letter was placed in the Street Light order file and a memo sent to the St. Supt. regarding the sign request.

Request for St. Light & Sign.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to accept the resignation of Claude J. Harvey as a member of the Industrial Development Commission.

Resignation of member of Ind. Dev. Commission.

It was decided to send to the Town Counsel all material on hand relating to the coming Special Town Meeting so that he can commence the work of preparing the warrant.

Town Counsel to receive material for STn.Mtg Warrant.

Mr. Bradford O. Emerson appeared before the Selectmen to ask that they accept a revised edition of the proposed by-law for no look-alike buildings to be acted upon at the coming special town meeting. The revised by-law was accepted.

Revised edition of No Look Alike Bldg. By-Law presented to Selectmen

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George it was voted unanimously to notify all departments whose offices are located at the Center Town Hall that all needs for building repairs, electrical work, etc. shall be sent to the Selectmen in written form, after which the Selectmen will forward same to the building custodian and then a workman or contractor will be hired..

Notices to be sent to all Depts. at CTH re: procedure for repairs, etc.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, June 11, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

At the Selectmen's Office at 2:00 P.M. bids were opened for the purchase of Safe for the Town Clerk's Office. Bids received are listed as follows:

1. Diebold, Inc..	Total bid of:	$1,147.87
2. Lowell Stationery Co.,Inc.	" " "	1,184.50
3. Mosler Safe Co.	" " "	1,235.61

The bids were taken under advisement.

Sealed Bids opened for purchase of a new safe for Town Clerk's Office.

For the Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, June 18, 1959.

Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present. Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, was unable to attend due to illness. Mr. George acted as Chairman pro-tem.

Members present.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was conducted on the petition of the MEElec. Co. and NET&TC., for 1 Pole Location on Old Westford Road, approx. 1248 ft. northeast of Westford St., #447, dated 5/6/59. No persons were present to object. The petition was then signed by the majority of members present.

Pole Location Hearing.

A discussion then followed on the subject of purchase of a safe for the Town Clerk's Office and a study of bids submitted was made. Mr. John T. Brennan, representative of the Diebold Co. was present, and he answered various questions. Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted

Discussion re: purchase of new safe.

Vote to award contract for purchase of new safe.

to award the contract to the Diebold Co. for $1,147.87, the amount of their bid for safe with accessories, installed. Then the contract was signed by Mr. George.

Pole Location Petitions signed.

Then the following-described petitions for pole locations were signed; in all cases, no hearings being required. The clerk signed each petition:

1. Littleton Road, 1 Pole Relocation for road construction
   No.C-8251, dated 6/4/59, by MEElec.Co. & NET&TCo.
2. Smith Avenue, 1 Pole Re-Location to clear driveway.
   No. C-8242, dated 5/29/59 by MEElec.Co. & NET&TCo.
3. Diane Lane 2 Pole Locations, Scott Drive, 6 Pole Locatns.
   Buckman Drive 14 " " Larssen Circle 4 " "
   all formerly private ways but now accepted streets.
   No. C-8247, dated 6/1/59, by MElec. Co. & NET&TC.
4. Aberdeen Road, 6 Pole Locations, Dorrence St. 2 Pole Loctns.
   Anna Street 6 " " Latch Road 2 " "
   Arlington Street 2 " " Rogers Road, 4 " "
   and Bailey Terrace 4 Pole Locations.
   all formerly private ways but now accepted streets.
   No. C-8241, dated 5/28/59 by MEElec Co. & NET&TC.

Civil Defense Committee appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to appoint Charles Koulas, William Edge and Bertram Needham as members of the Civil Defense Committee, terms to expire March 1960.

Permission granted for marathon.

Letter requesting to permit a marathon to run through Chelmsford for 4-H Fair, approved and committee requested to notify Police Chief of date and time.

Discussion of drainage improvements on Westford St.

Messrs. Wm. Hennessy and McLaughlin appeared before the Selectmen regarding the need for the lowering of a drainage line on Westford St. to accomodate further drainage of a new proposed development near Spaulding property. Mr. George suggested a conference with the St. Supt. to determine costs of advisability of lowering drainage line.

St. Supt. to investigate legal points re: closing off of street.

It was decided to request the St. Supt. to inquire into legal problems which might arise if one end of Wightman St. is closed off, per request of residents, to prevent racing and parking in that vicinity.

Industrial Development Commission Member Resigns.

The resignation of Carl A. E. Peterson as a member of the Industrial Development Commission was read and accepted.

By-Law Article received for Town Meeting.

Date of Town Meeting established.

Mr. W. C. Lahue was present and gave the Selectmen a proposed building by law for town meeting to restrict size of buildings. After a long discussion, each article for the town meeting was discussed and the Recording Clerk was given the list of order for each article for warrant and it was further decided to hold the Special Town Meeting on Monday, June 29, 1959 at 7:30 P.M.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, July 2, 1959.

members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Gasoline Storage Hearing and License Granted.

At 8:15 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the application of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Gammine Const. Co. for storage of Diesel Fuel Oil at 197 Groton Road, a temporary installation, for road construction. Mr. William Fulton was present but did not object. Later Mr. Zier of the Gammine Cost. Co. appeared and presented the registered mail receipts. On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unaminously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00; Adv.costs: $6.50.

Pole Location Petitions.

Then pole location petitions, described as follows, were signed by the clerk, after adoption by the board; all not requiring hearings:

1. For 2 Joint Pole Locations on Acton Road and 3 Joint Pole Locations on Pine Hill Road, C-8260, dated 6/17/59, by MEElec Co. & NET&TC.,formerly owned by MEElec Co. and now to be joint ownership. The petition was signed by the clerk.
2. For 2 Joint Pole Locations on Littleton Road, C-8258, dated 6/12/59, by MEElec. Co. and NET&TC. formerly owned by MEElec. Co. and now to be jointly owned. The petition was signed by the clerk.
3. For transfer of 3 Poles on North Road, C-8257, dated 6/11/59. by MEElec. Co. and ownership now transferred to NET&TCo. The petition was signed by the clerk.
4. For 1 Joint Pole Re-Location on Riverneck Road, for road reconstruction. C-8252, dated 6/5/59, by MEElec. Co. and NET&TCo. The petition was then signed by the clerk.

Request for Road repairs.

Then Messrs. Baron and Lukas appeared and stated that inasmuch as Chamberlain Road is their only right of way to reach their homes, since the road reconstruction in the area, would the town repair the road. They were assured that repairs would be made.

Request for Class II Auto Dealers License.

Mr. Everett S. Baldwin appeared before the Selectmen to reouest that he be granted a Class II Used Car Dealer's License for operation at 99 Littleton Road. He was asked if the Selectmen might inspect the premises first and then a decision could be made at a later meeting. The discussion of a zoning variance followed and later in the evening applications were filed in writing with the Recording Clerk.

Pole Location Hearings.

Then two pole location hearings followed:

1. At 8:30 P.M. on the petition of the MEElec.Co. and NET&TCo. for 3 joint pole locations on Crooked Spring Road and 2 Joint Pole Locations on Jordan St., C-8238, dated 5/25/59. No persons were present to object and the petition was signed by all members.
2. At 8:45 P.M. on the petition of the MEElec.Co. and NET&TCo. for 2 joint Pole Locations on Garrison Road, C-8245, dated 6/1/59 to serve Robert Martin. Mrs. Pearl M. Manahan and Mr. Philip E. Goodie were present but they did not object. Then the petition was signed by all members.

Insurance bills to be returned to School Dept.

Two insurance bills for insurance coverage at the WIA Hall were sent to the Selectmen by the School Department for payment. The Selectmen decided that both should be returned to the School Supt. stating that there is a question of legality to pay maint. costs for a building not owned by the town; that the Selectmen were unaware of the conditions of the lease, and that no provision had been made in the 1959 insurance budget for such costs.

Taxicab lisenses granted.

Two taxicab licenses were granted to: 1. George Newell and 2. Lloyd A. Fields, both of Tyngsboro, Mass.

Speed of Dump Trucks on Town Rds.

Town Residents to be hired for Spec. Police Duty.

A discussion followed regarding the speed of dump trucks along town roads for the Route 110 road construction. It was decided to confer with the Police Chief about this subject and also the advisibility of hiring town residents for police duty for road construction work, rather than hiring residents of other towns for this type of work.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

License Granted.

On July 16, 1959 a Class II Used Car Dealer's License was granted to Everett Baldwin, d/b/a Whitey's Used Cars at #8 Littleton Road, Chelmsford. Fee: $15.00

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, July 16, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood & Mr. George were present.

Complaint against the Dog Officer's Dept.

Mr. Frank Wojtas and Dr. W. E. Merrill, Dog Officer and Animal Inspector respectively, were present and shortly thereafter Mr. & Mrs. Earl R. Luxton appeared before the Board to discuss the operation of the Dog Officer's Dept. The conference was a very long one in which Mrs. Luxton spoke of the lack of cooperation she had received in recent months from the Dog Officer in the placing of good dogs in homes where they were wanted. Finally the Selectmen stated that they would investigate the charges made and would ask that cooperation be extended to Mrs. Luxton in the future.

License granted.

A Common Victualer's License was granted to Paul Wainwright, dba Paul & Bill's Chuck Wagon, at various locations. Fee: $5.00

Underground conduit hearing.

At 8:15 a hearing was scheduled and conducted later in the evening on the application of the NET&TCo. for appx. 300 ft. of underground conduit on Golden Cove Road, #449, dtd 6/19/59. No persons were present to object and the petition was signed.

Request that High St. drainage repairs be made.

Atty. Benjamin Sandler appeared in behalf of Messrs. Greenblatt & Wells, and he asked if a hot-top burn could be installed on High St. to prvent drainage water from entering land of his clients. He was told that the Selectmen will investigate further and possibly some arrangement may be made to prevent further damage.

Request that Montview Rd. be repaired.

John Lincoln appeared and asked that lawned area next to Montview Road in front of his home be repaired by the Highway Dept. as the town never restored the area after excavation. The Recording Clerk was requested to instruct the St. Supt. to complete this work.

Gravel Bank Opening requested.

Mr. Peter McHugh appeared and asked permission to open a gravel bank for road building purposes & he was referred to Bd. of Appeals.

Special Police Offic. appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint William L. Reid as a Special Police Officer for Spec. Police activities.

Discussion re: Operatn. of Bldg. Insp. Dept.

Joseph Demers, Bldg. Insp., was present and a long discussion followed relating to the burden of so many new applications and the difficulty in keeping up with the work. It was finally decided to meet with the Finance Committee to discuss additional salary arrangements; the meeting to be conducted on July 30, 1959.

Mr. Southwick spoke next about the merits of the Mosquite Control Program and the need for further study for future study before plans are made for another year. The Selectmen stated that the matter was up to the voters at Town Meeting and the Tree Warden.

Discussion re: Mosquite Control Program.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, July 30, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood & Mr. George were present.

Members present.

A group of persons from North Chelmsford appeared and complained about the use of a loud speaker at business establishment of Tony & Ann's on Tyngsboro Road. A petition was also presented to the Selectmen, signed by a great many persons, asking that the use of the system be discontinued. Carl A. E. Peterson acted as spokesman for the group and finally the Selectmen stated that they would confer with the proprietors of the business to see if the noise could be eliminated.

Group of persons protest use of loudspeaker at business establishmt.

A letter from the Health Dept. was read in which notice was given that two Health Dept. Certificates had been removed from premises of the Ballos Diner and the Meadow Grille. Later two members of the Board of Health appeard, Mr. Edmund J. Welch and Mr. Robert Greenwood, and they recommended that the licenses at the Meadow Grille be revoked. The Selectmen stated they would investigate.

Health Certificates revoked at two restaurants.

Messrs. Thomas Bovill and Mr. Charles E. Watt were present regarding drainage conditions at Davis Road and North Road. Mr. Bovill stated that water enters his cellar and he desired corrective steps to be taken to overcome this hardship. The Selectmen stated they would confer with the St. Supt. and all would study the problem.

Water Drainage Problem at Davis Rd. discussed.

Messrs. Robert Harman and Arthur Cormier were present to state that the Jaycees planned to erect a permanent bandstand on the common at the Center, and they desired to receive the permission and cooperation of the Selectmen. It was decided that nothing should be done in the line of construction until the voters acted on the matter at a town meeting.

Jaycees request permission to erect bandstand at Center Common.

Pole Relocations and Removal Petitions were then signed as follows. In all cases no hearings were required:

1. Petition for 1 Pole Re-Location on Concord Road, for road reconstruction, C-6276, dated 7/2/9 by MEElec Co. and NET&TC, signed by the clerk.
2. Petition for the Removal of conduit and one manhole on Middlesex St. approx. 6 ft. northwest of Quigley Ave. #451, dated 7/24/59, by NET&TC. and signed by all members.
3. Petition for removal of two poles on Middlesex St., one about 10 ft. southwest of Quigley Ave. and the other about 37 ft. southwest of Quigley Ave., #450, dated, 7/24/59, by NET&TCo., signed by the clerk.

Pole Re-Locations and Removals petitions.

At 8:00 P.M. a hearing was scheduled and this was held somewhat later on the application of the NET&TC. for approx. 302 ft. of underground conduit on Main St. at new State Highway, #448, dated 6/19/59. No abutters were present. The petition was signed by all members.

Petition and Hearing for underground conduit.

Automobile Accident. Policeman injured.

A Police Report was read on the personal injury of Officer Palmer on 7/23/59 at Billerica Road and Route 110 at which time car owned by David F. Dutton injured a polifeofficer.

Conference with Finance Committee & Bldg. Insp. re; additional renumeration.

Finance Committee Members, Carleton Lombard, John McNally, William Edge, and Richard McDermott, met with the Selectmen and the Building Inspector, Joseph Demers, regarding additional salary due to increase in work in this department. A long discussion ensued and it was finally left that the committee would act upon the request to be submitted. Later the Selectmen conferred with the Inspector to determine a suitable figure. An increase of about $2,000. per year appeared to satisfy all concerned..

Auxiliary Police Officers appointed.

Auxiliary Police Officers as follows were appointed by the Selectmen: Joseph F. Lynch, Edward H. Moffett, Robert M. Smith, Robert G. Pounder and Stephen W. Brunewald..

St. Supt. questioned re: use of Highway Equipment on Private Property.

Mr. Greenwood then conferred with the St. Supt.,Frederick R. Greenwood, regarding the use of town equipment of private property. It was finally stated that such a policy was poor practice, even though the town might gain by being permitted to use private equipment, and such a practice should be prohibited in the future.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Special Police Officer Appointed.

On August 6, 1959 the Selectmen appointed Frank Baran, Jr., of 41 Middlesex St., North Chelmsford as a Special Police Officer for Special Activities without pay from the town.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Aug. 13, 1959

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present. Mr. McAndrew was unable to attend. Mr. George presided.

Fire Alarm System Removal Contract signed.

Fire Chief,Ernest Ryan, was present to request that the Selectmen sign contracts for the removal of fire alarm wires at locations where new state highways will be located, all expense for changes to be paid by the Department of Public Works..

Elec. Wire transmission hearing.

At 8:00 P.M. a hearing was conducted on the petition of the MEElec. Co. for transmission of wires and electricty and telephone lines across Middlesex St., North Chelmsford. Mr. G. Ridlon of the MEElec.Co. was present. There were no objections, and the petition was signed by both members present..

Conference re: future grade of Woodlawn Ave.

Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Keenan were present to state that work of construction of Woodlawn Avenue had commenced and that they were concerned with the grade of the new roadway in leation to their own property. The Selectmen agreed to visit the area and to then confer with the St. Supt. regarding their recommendations..

Conference with Health Board.

Members of the Board of Health, Edmond J. Welch, Oliver Reeves, and Robert Greenwood, were present to state that they had warned the owner of the Meadow Grille to improve the health conditions of the establishment. It was stated that the Selectmen had visited the premises earlier and finally all officials decided to allow a little more time to the owner to clean up; otherwise the licenses would be revoked.

Conference with Health Board re: Health conditions.

Next the Health Board asked that they be permitted to pay the newly hired Sanitarian at maximum pay. A discussion followed and it was decided to place the matter before the Town Counsel for his opinion as there is presently no Personnel Board to act on this request. It was stated that the salary of the Bldg. Inspector would also be considered as efforts are no being made to obtain additional funds for him due to increased work load.

Discussion re: Salary rate for new Health Department Sanitarian.

Then the following-listed Pole Location Hearings were held:

1. Petition for 1 Joint Pole Location on Graniteville Rd. for support of existing lines, C-8273, dated 7/1/9 by the MEElec. Co. and NET&TCo. No persons were present to object. The petition was then signed by both members. This hearing was scheduled for 8:15 P.M.
2. Petition for 4 Joint Pole Locations on Golden Cove Rd and 7 Joint Pole Locations on Chelmsford St., for road construction, C-8283, dated 7/9/9 by MEElec Co. & NET&TCo. No persons were present to object. The petition was then signed by both members. The hearing was at 8:30 P.M.
3. Petition for 6 Joint Pole Locations & 9 Joint Pole Locations on Richardson Road, C-8292, dated 7/7/9 by MEElec. Co. and NET&TCo. for new highway construction. Mr. Wm. Fulton was present. There were no objections. The petition was then signed by both members. Hearing was scheduled for 8:45 P.M.

Pole Location Hearings

Then the Bldg. Insp., Joseph Demers, and Dr. Charles Yarid and Dr. Yarid's contractor conferred with the Selectmen regarding the dwelling and dentist's office he is building on Chelmsford St. A floor plan was displayed. The Selectmen questioned the legality of such a building according to the building laws and it was finally decided that the plan should be referred to the Town Counsel for his opinion.

Discussion re: Yarid Bldg. & details to be sent to Town Counsel for legal opinion.

A Petition for 1 Pole Re-location on Main St., C-8297, dated 8/10/9 by MEElec. Co. to clear driveway signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Petition for Pole Re-locatio

A Sunday Entertainment License for the Paramount Lounge, Inc. for period 9/6/9 to 8/28/60 granted.

License granted.

Letter containing dog complaint from Christos Kardulas to be referred to Police Chief for investigation with possible action to be taken after the police report is returned.

Dog Nuisance complaint.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Colvine
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Aug. 27, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood & Mr. George were present.

Members present.

Mr. Jack Lamb appeared before the Selectmen to ask permission to use a storm drain on Middlesex St. for waste water from a

Request to use storm drain grantd

new launderette. The storm drain, it was stated, leads to a canal and then to the river. This permission was granted.

Dog Complaint explained.

Mr. Robert Cullen, Miss Judy Cullen, Messrs. Ray Allardy and Robert Cate appeared before the Selectmen to give their version of the dog nuisance case reported at a previous meeting. Mr. Cullen stated he had made much effort to keep the dog from annoying his neighbor who had complained. Inasmuch as the Selectmen had not received a complaint under oath, it was stated, that nothing more would be done about the complaint.

Protest re: Zoning violation and counter complaint.

Atty. Blais, representing his client, Mr. Bonsignor, stated that Mr. Bonsignor must now go before the Appeal Board regarding a complaint by Mr. Cappella, and Mr Blais asked that the Selectmen give his client permission to continue operating the roadside stand until the Appeal Board ruled on the case. It was stated that it might be eight or nine weeks before the decision is known. The Selectmen declined to give this permission for several reasons. Then Atty. Blais called his client into the hearing room, at which time a counter complaint was made against Mr. Cappella regarding a zoning violation. Then the Selectmen instructed the recording clerk was instructed to notify the Bldg. Inspector of the counter complaint.

Gasoline Storage Hearing.

License Granted.

A hearing was conducted at 8:15 P.M. on the application of the Town of Chelmsford for permission to store 2,000 gallons of gasoline underground at new highway garage property off Richardson Road. Mr. Wesley Harper Jr. appeared but did not object. All registered mail return receipts were available at time of hearing. Then the license was granted. All fees and adv. costs waived.

Drainage line along Dunstable Road to be changed.

Mr. Edward Duffy was present to ask that the Selectmen take steps to stop water from drainage line from Dunstable Road, from flowing onto and thru his property on Tyngsboro Road. It was finally decided, after some discussion to close off the drainage line and only allow the Dunstable Road water to flow underground along Dunstable Road.

Special Police Officer Appointed.

A Police Officer was appointed for Special Duty for road construction. His name: Eugene J. Walsh, 95 Turnpike Road.

Incorporator certified.

A certificate of incorporation character reference was signed for Courtland A. Laughton, 5 Richardson Rd., No. Chelmsford.

Pole Location Petitions signed.

The following pole location petitions were then signed; both requiring no hearings; and both signed by the clerk:

1. Petition for 1 Pole ReLocation to clear driveway, on Sylvan Ave., C-8298, dated 8/10/59 by MEElec.Co. & NET&TC.
2. Petition for 1 Joint Pole Location on St. Nicholas Ave., approx. 150 ft northwest of Clinton Ave. #452, 8/11/59 by NET&TC. and MEElec. Co.

Ind.Dev. Comm. request that vacancies on that board be filled.

Three members of the Industrial Development Commission were present to inquire if the Selectmen would plan to appoint the new members to fill vacancies caused by resignations. The Selectmen stated they would try and make these appoints at the next meeting.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Sept. 10, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood & Mr. George were present.

Members present.

School Supt., Thomas L. Rivard, appeared before the Selectmen regarding various items, listed as follows:

1. Need for new road at Tadmuck and Chamberlain Rds. so that large bus can get through. He was told that plans of the road construction company included such a road.
*2. Need for clearing of brush at Hunt and Littleton Roads to improve visibility for bus drivers.
3. That Quessy, Highland Ave. and East Schools will not be used for 1959-1960 sessions and that boiler insurance should be eliminated on these buildings.
4. Need for street lights along North Road at New High School.
*5. Need for oiling of parking area at old High School.
*6. That any excess fill of Highway Dept. be dumped in low areas between old High School & Center Elem. School.

*Items referred to Street Supt.

School Supt. requests road repairs, brush removal, cancelation of boiler insurance, street lights, parking area oiled and use of town excess fill.

Mr. Rivard then spoke of plansof School Dept. to purchase a truck for maintenance work and he asked advice as to size of truck which would be best to purchase. He was advised that a large heavy truck would be best so that it could be used for plowing during winter storms. Mr. Rivard inquired about a coming Special Town Meeting & he was told that none was planned at this time

Advice given re: purchase of a school dept. truck.

Mr. Thomas Bovill of Davis Road was present to inquire about his water drainage problems. The Selectmen stated that the difficulty was due to inadequacy of size of lines and had nothing to do with the town basin. Mr. Bovill thought otherwise and it was decided that the Selectmen would view the premises again during or just after a heavy rainstorm.

Davis Road drainage problem discussed.

Mr. Bonsignor of Concord Road was present to request for a Sunday License but the Selectmen refused to grant one stating that the applicant should go before the Board of Appeals to settle zoning violation questions.

Request for a Sunday License denied.

A temporary Wine & Beer License was granted to the South Chelmsford Gun and Rod Club for Sept. 13th. Fee: $0.50.

License granted.

Then Messrs Arthur F. Haley and Bertram T. Needham were appointed to the Industrial Development Commission to fill vacancies caused by resignations of Claude J. Harvey and Carl A. E. Peterson. Both appointmts expire: 3/1960.

Members of Industrial Developmt. Commission appointed.

Then the following-named Election Officers were appointed with all terms to expire during August 1960:

Precinct 1: Center:
Warden: Irving J. Phillips
Clerk: Irene W. Borrows
Deputy Warden: Emily A. Peake
Deputy Clerk: Harriet H. Shedd,
Inspector: Louise M. Harrington
" Catherine D. Riney
" M. Lorraine Simard
" Myrtle C. Sykes

Election Officers Appointed.

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Precinct 2, North:

Warden: Joseph H. Dunigan
Clerk: Ruth M. Jamros
Deputy Warden: Florence E. Beauregard
" Clerk: Dora M. Tucke,
Inspectors: Anna E. Cummings, Grace M. Cummings, Mary M. Vondal and Ann Rooney (D)

Precinct 3, West:

Warden: Dorothy C. Burne
Clerk: Mildred H. Wilkins
Inspectors: Rose A. Doherty and Gloria M. Patenaude.

Precinct 4, East:

Warden: James E. Reardon
Clerk: Mary E. Swenson
Deputy Warden: Cecilia Dix
" Clerk: Ruth P. Lamprey
Inspectors: Hilda Braga and Theresa R. Maguire

Precinct 5, South:

Warden: Herman L. Purcell, Jr.
Clerk: Evelyn M. Philbrook
Inspectors: Doris Simpson and Edna House.

Precinct 6, Westlands:

Warden: Katherine F. Knapp
Clerk: Eleanor M. Parker
Deputy Warden: Mary H. Long,
Deputy Clerk: Ethyl M. Oates,
Inspectors: M. Angelique White and Vacancy to be filled at later date.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, September 17, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Group protests zoning variance, Barton Hill area affected.

A group of eight persons from the Barton Hill section of South Chelmsford appeared before the Selectmen with Mr. William Batchelder as spokesman. It was stated that William E. Belleville was now using area in that vicinity for parking heavy equipment and that this use of land was a violation of the town zoning code. They stated they had referred the question sometime ago to the Planning Board and had heard no more and after some period of time the land was continuing to be used for this purpose. Charles D. Harrington informed the group at this point that the Planning Board had referred the problem to the Building Inspector. Then Mr. McAndrew stated that the Selectmen would contact the Building Inspector immediately to see what was being done.

Special Police Officer appointed.

Mr. Pennryn Fitts, 41 Littleton Road, Chelmsford was then appointed a Special Police Officer for Traffic Duty on Road Construction.

Boiler Insurance on schools to be retained.

It was then decided to keep the boiler insurance on the Quessy, Highland Avenue and East Schools considering the reply from the F. C. Church Ins. Co. quoting return premiums.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously that the Auto Dealer's License, Class II, for Whitey Baldwin, dba 8 Littleton Road, be revoked effective immediately due to fact that the licensee has not been operating from these premises and that the licensee be so informed of this action by Registered Mail Return Receipt Requested, stating that he would receive the opportunity to be heard on this action on 9/24/59.

Auto Dealer's License picked up and no longer in effect.

Plans were displayed for the preparation of an easement deed for drainage purposes on property of Arlex Realty Trust and the Selectmen then directed the Recording Clerk to ask the Town Counsel to prepare the easement deed.

Drainage easement to be prepared.

It was decided, after various discussions, that the Street Supt. should be requested in writing to take care of the following-named matters:

1. Install street sign on Latch Road requested by Mr. Maurice Harrison.
2. Reminder that Hilltop Terrace drainage project should be finished.
3. Investigate complaints of driveway entrance work at homes located on Pine Hill Road.
4. Make slope near catch basin on North Road at home of Charles D. Harrington to allow water to flow easily into the basin.

Memoranda to Street Supt.

Drainage problems, etc.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to adopt the resolution that the deadline for acceptance of Street Acceptance Petitions will be Thursday evening, October 29, 1959 at 8:00 P.M.

Street Acceptance petitions deadline set.

A discussion followed regarding the need for a town by-law to require contractors to give the town evidence of their surety bonds before any road work commences.

By-Law for opening roads by private contractors

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Sept. 24, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood & Mr. George were present.

Members present.

Mr. Leslie Adams, Sr. appeared and spoke to the Selectmen about the following subjects:

1. His duties on the Ind. Dev. Commission were presently conflicting with his work and he desired to be relieved temporarily of these duties. He stated he would be pleased to serve again at a later date when his occupation did not take so much of his time.
2. He asked that curbing along property of North Chelmsford Congregational Church be moved nearer to the roadway. The Recording Clerk was requested to so notify the St. Supt. of this request.

Ind.Dev. Comm. Memb. resigns.

Request for moving of curbing.

The Selectmen then signed Civil Service Appointment Notices for appointment of two temporary Intermittent Patrolmen:
1. Albert M. Gongloff and 2. Henry F. Mullen.

Special Police Officers appointed.

Corrections in Election Officer Appointments for Prec. 6.

Due to error in appointing election officers for Precinct 6, the Selectmen approved the re-appointment of:
Viola B. Cochrane as Warden
and the change of:
Katherine F. Knapp (from Warden) to Inspector.

Pole Location Hearing.

A hearing was conducted at 8:15 P.M. on the application of the NET&TCo. and MEElecCo. for 1 Pole Location and 1 Pole Location Abandonment on Hunt Road, #453, dated 8/19/59. Mr. Peter Emanouil was present and did not object. He did request that a street light be installed near his new home on Hunt Road and the Selectmen stated they would consider the request after the road construction in the vicinity has been completed.

Complaint re: zoning violation and issuance of a Sunday License

Request that tree limb be removed.

Mr. Ulysses J. Lupien appeared before the Selectmen to state that he believed the issuance of a Sunday License recently to Chester Spaulding for sale of foodstuffs at Westford St. was a violation of the zoning code. He asked that the matter be investigated and that he receive a written reply. Mr. Greenwood stated that the license was granted to allow the applicant to sell fruit grown on the premises to be sold on Sunday. The Selectmen agreed to check into the matter further. Mr. Lupien also spoke of a tree limb near the poultry farm which should be removed and that he had called the matter to attention of Tree Warden but nothing had been done. Mr. Greenwood stated he would speak to the Tree Warden about this subject.

Pole Location hearing.

At 8:30 P.M. a hearing was conducted on the application of the MEEElec.Co. and NET&TCo. for 1 Pole Location on Dalton Road at or near Field St., C-8305, dated 8/21/59. Norman & Marion Carver were present and the petition was explained to them..They did not object to the location.

Request for Street Light and Street Safety Signs.

Mr. Edgar Hunt was present to request:

1. Street Light on Littleton Road, (He was informed that the signed order to the electric company was being signed this evening.)
2. Street Safety Signs for Littleton Road to warn motorists of the presence of children. The Selectmen stated they would confer with the committee that had been previously working on this project.

Notice regarding Dangerous culvert condition

A complaint regarding the dangerous condition of a culvert from Mr. Marcella to be forwarded in writing to the Street Supt.

Hearing re: Used Car Dealer's License.

Mr. Everett Baldwin was present to discuss the turning in of his Auto Dealer's license as he no longer is operating at #8 Littleton Road. He said he wished to operate from 99 Littleton Road but he was told the Selectmen could not issue a license for that location as it would not comply with zoning requirements.

Gasoline Storage Hearing.

At 8:45 P.M. a hearing was conducted on the application of Franklin and Simone Prescott and/or Campanella & Cardi for use of land at 121 Riverneck Road, for storage of 10,000 gallons of gasoline and diesel oil. A representative of the construction firm appeared and presented the registered mail return receipts to the Selectmen showing that the abutters had been properly notified. The license forms were then signed. Fee: $5.00 and adv. costs: $6.50. No one else appeared to object to the granting of the license.

Mr. Leo Fredette of 81 Dalton Road, was present to ask the Selectmen to check drainage problem on Dalton Road in front of his home. He stated that water stands in large puddles and also flows onto his property. The Selectmen stated they would view the premises.

Drainage problem on Dalton Road discussed.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 1, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Members present.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint Donald Weilbrenner, 160 Boston Rd. as a Special Police Officer for road construction.

Special Police Officer Appointed.

Application to Peddle for Ronald C. Yates, 5 B St., was signed.

Application to Peddle Signed.

A letter from Mr. McAdam of Southgate Road was received and read. Mr. McAdam requested that the work of improving Southgate Road be completed. The Selectmen decided that the letter should be sent to the Street Supt. with request that he try and finish the work.

Request for completion of Southgate Rd. repairs.

It was decided that proposals for cost of installing a retaining wall at Marchand property on Stedman St. should be obtained by the Street Supt. to be studied at next meeting and the Recording Clerk was instructed to so advise Mr. Greenwood, Supt.

Request for price quotations for retaining wall.

It was decided to call for bids for purchase of Fuel Oil for six town buildings and that a stable, firm price be requested. Also specifications to call for 24-hr. maintenance and service for all six buildings. The Recording Clerk was requested also to inquire from the Fire Chief if he desires to have bid adv. to include coal bids.

Request for Call for Fuel Oil Bids.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 8, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood & Mr. George were present.

Members present.

Delegation from area of Barton Hill Avenue were present to inquire about progress being made by Bldg. Insp. against zoning violation at property of Mr. Belleville. The group were told that the Town Counsel is presently working on the case.

Barton Hill residents appear re: zoning violation.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint the following-named persons as Special Police Officers for road construction work:

1. Louis P. Milanazzo, 15 Needham St.,
2. John Baptist Sousa, 115 Gorham St.,
3. Joseph W. Callopy, 54 Littleton Road.

Special Police Officers Appointed.

A notice regarding hearing by the DPU. for further financing by Lowell Gas Co. read.

DPU Hearing.

Letter from the Town Counsel regarding state offer for land taking in the amount of $295.00 to be studied by Selectmen. Property located on Bartlett Ave., East Chelmsford.

State Offer for Land Taking.

Fence Viewers Appointed.

The Selectmen then appointed the following-named Fence Viewers, both terms to expire: March 1960:

1. Reginald Furness, 17 Columbia St.
2. Thomas E. Firth, Jr. 105 Carlisle St.

Conference with the Ins. Advisory Committee.

Members of the Insurance Advisory Committee, Roger Welch and Henrick Johnson, present to discuss Insurance for New Highway Garage and changes in Classification of Compensation Policies. It was decided that the Selectmen would study needs for Highway Garage with plans to place coverage immediately and they were satisfied with explanation of changes in Compensation Classifications.

Town Counsel to be requested to render opinion re: Street Acceptance procedure.

It was decided to request a written opinion from the Town Counsel to determine if the Selectmen can further regulate the acceptance of streets and specifically require that petitioners surface the new streets with oil prior to acceptance.

Selectmen to confer with Building Insp.

It was decided to request the Building Inspector to be present at the Oct. 15th meeting at 8:30 P.M. so that the members may inquire about status of the Yarid office building and residence.

It was decided to hold a Pole Location hearing on Monday evening, Oct. 19th at 8:00 P.M. for changes in poles on Concord Road.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 15, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George present.

Pole Location Hearings.

The following-described pole location hearings were conducted:

1. At 8:15 P.M. on petition of MEElec.Co. and NET&TCo. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Boston Road, C-8312, dated 9/3/9, for carrying of additional load needs. No persons were present to object. Petition was signed by all members.
2. At 8:45 P.M. on petition of MEElec.Co. for 1 Pole Location on Middlesex St., C-8324, dated 9/21/9 for road construction. No persons were present to object and the petition was signed by all members.
3. At 9:00 P.M. on petition of MEElec.Co. and NET&TCo. for 1 Joint Pole Location and 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Stedman St. for road construction, C-83111, dated 9/2/59. Mr.&Mrs. Arthur Johnson were present but did not object. The petition was then signed by all members.

Additional insurance ordered.

It was decided that insurance should be placed on the Highway Garage and that coverage should be for $50,000. and to be placed with the Weldon Haire Agency.

Hearing for Storage of Gasoline.

At 8:30 P.M. a Public Hearing was conducted on the application of Richard Lagasse, for permission to store 1,000 gallons of gasoline at 39 Old Westford Road, for trucking business needs. The petitioner, Richard Lagasse, was present. He turned over the Registered Mail Receipts and Return Cards as well as a signed statement from Clarence Lagasse stating he did not object to the storage. No abutters were present to object. Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00. Adv. Costs: $6.00. Total: $11.00.

License to store gasoline Granted.

It was decided that a letter should be sent to the Town Counsel stating that the Selectmen will favor acceptance of the offer of $295.00 from the state for land taking for road purposes on Bartlett Ave.

Selectmen accept offer from State for Land Taking.

The Selectmen then conferred with the Building Inspector, Joseph Demers, for quite a period of time regarding the Building By-Laws, enforcement thereof, and Yarid Building the Spaulding Building, & miscellaneous subjects.

Conference with the Bldg. Insp.

It was decided to have the Bldg. Inspector and Town Counsel attend the next meeting at 8:30 P.M. Mr. McAndrew stated he would notify Judge Valentine of the meeting.

Conference planned with the Town Counsel.

The Fire Chief, Ernest Byam, was present regarding various departmental bids; 1. for Coal awarded to Rourke Co. and 2. for Roof awarded to Douglas & Co., Inc., both low bidders.

Fire Dept. Coal and Roof Repair Contracts awarded.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, October 19, 1959.

Mr. George was present.

A hearing was conducted on the Petition of the MEElec.Co. and NET&TCo. for 3 Joint Pole Locations and 3 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on Concord Road, C-8326, dated 9/29/59 for Chapter 90 Road Construction. Messrs. Melvin W. Newton and Robert A. Cappella were present. Mr. Cappella was satisfied with the 152 foot spread. There were no objections.

Pole Location hearing.

Board of Selectmen
by Edgar P. George
Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 22, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood & Mr. George were present.

Members present.

A petition for 1 Pole ReLocation on Old Middlesex Turnpike C-8331, dated 10/5/59 for the MEElec.Co. was adopted by the Board and signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Petition for Pole ReLocation signed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint Earl Boyd, 40 Princeton St., North Chelmsford, as a Special Police Officer for the North Chelmsford Congregational Church Property, without pay from the town.

Special Police Officer for church property appointed.

Sealed Bids for the purchase of fuel oil for six town buildings were opened at 8:15 P.M. The list follows:

1. A-Ba-Co., Inc. Fixed price of .125 per gallon.
2. E.A.Wilson Co. Fluctuating price of .127 to start and with maximum of .132 per gallon.

Fuel Oil Bids Opened

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to award the contract to the A-Ba-Co.

Contract awarded.

Inquiry re: Bldg. By-Law to be acted upon at a coming Town Meeting.

Mr. John Breen was present to inquire if the Selectmen would insert in the Warrant of the next town meeting an article to change the Bldg. Laws of the town. The article would pertain to the limiting of number of housing units to be built each year and he stated the Planning Board hearing had been conducted. Mr. Breen was informed that such an article would be placed in a warrant, and they suggested that the petition be prepared.

Zoning Appeal Case Inquiry

Three residents of the Richardson Road-Edgelawn Ave. area were present to inquire about the recent Appeal Board decision to deny permission to Michael and Zanita Barry. They were told that the Planning Board would be conducting a hearing in the near future on a request coming before that Board relating to the Barry family.

Janitor for CTH Appointed

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint John W. Carruthers as Janitor & Custodian of the Center Town Hall, effective at time of resignation of Thomas Elliott.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 29, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood & Mr. George were present.

Report given re: Burned-out St. Light Bulbs.

A written report was received from the Police Dept. stating that many burned-out street light bulbs had not been replaced by the utility firm and it was voted to call this matter to the attention of the company in the form of a written complaint.

Change of Precinct Lines. Conference to be held.

It was decided to hold a conference with the Board of Registrars on Nov.12th at 8:00P.to decide the place of dividing line for Precinct 2 and 3 and thus avoid future confusion regarding places to vote for residents in those areas.

Complaint re: Wire Inspectn Methods.

Mr. Donald Knight appeared before the Selectmen and made complaints against the town's wire inspection methods and it was decided to meet with the Wiring Inspector and the various interested electricians on next Thursday evening..

Ind.Dev.Comm. Member appointed.

It was decided to appoint Mr. Albert V. Walker as a member of the Industrial Development Commission to fill the unexpired term of Leslie H. Adams who resigned. (Term expires: 3/1960.)

Misc. requests of the Highway Supt.

St. Supt. Frederick R. Greenwood, was present to request:

1. Complaint re: delay by telephone company in moving poles on Concord Road and Locke Road. It was decided that a letter should be written to the utility company asking a speedup.
2. Request for files, cabinets, trays and shelves for new garage and it was unanimously approved to approve expenditure of $150.00
3. The Supt. was instructed to call for bids for sidewalk work on Main St., West Chelmsford and to check into bids for Acton Road and Groton Road.

ABC Holiday regulations adopted.

ABC regulations for Nov. 11th approved.

Street Accept. Requests received.

Various plans for street acceptances were received as follows:

1.Balsam Drive,
2.Pearson Street,
3. Kensington Drive,
4. Harold Street,

5. Gail Street,
6. Lauderdale Road,
7. Hickory Lane,
8. Murray Hill Road,
9. McFarlin Road,
10. Oriole Street
11. Brentwood Road,
12. Lancaster Avenue,
13. Arbutus Road,
14. Sycamore Street,
15. Spruce Street,
16. Walnut Street,

Street Acceptance Requests Received.

Application to Peddle for Frederick J. Lacnance signed.

Application to Peddle Signed.

Board of Selectmen
by Edgar P. George,
Clerk.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 5, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Group inquire into progress made re: zoning violation status.

A group of residents from the Barton Hill area were present to inquire what progress had been made on their complaint of a zoning violation by William Belleville. Mr. Greenwood outlined steps that had been taken and he and the other members assured the group that positive action would take place by Nov. 12th. The Recording Clerk was then instructed to inform the Town Counsel and Bldg. Inspector to take decisive legal action and report to the Selectmen on Nov. 12th of steps taken.

Fence Viewer confers with Selectmen.

Atty. Reginald Furness was present to inform members of the first case of the Fence Viewers and their decision.

License granted.

A temporary Wine and Malt Beverage License was granted to the South Chelmsford Gun and Rod Club, Mill Road. Fee: $0.50.

Petitions signed for Pole Location Relocations and Removals.

Petitions for Pole Removals and Relocations were then acted upon as follows: (In all cases, no hearings were required.)

1. For Removal of 2 Poles On Tyngsboro Road, #454, dated 10/19/9 by NET&TC. and MEElec.Co. signed by the clerk.
2. For Relocation of 1 Pole On Concord Road, C-8333, 10/8/9, by MEElec.Co. and NET&TCo. for Chapter 90 Reconst., signed by the clerk.
3. For Removal of 5 Poles on Concord Road, #455, dated 11/2/9 by NET&TC. signed by all members.
4. For Removal of 6 Poles on Hunt Road, #456, dated 11/3/59, by NET&TC. signed by all members.
5. For Relocation of 1 Pole on Mt. Pleasant St., C-8329, dated 10/5/9 by MEECo. & NET&TC. to serve Romeo Paquette, signed by the clerk.
6. For Relocation of 1 Pole on North Road, C-8328, dated 10/5/9, by MEECo. & NET&TCo. to serve R.T.Osborn, signed by clerk.
7. For Relocation of 1 Pole on North Road, C-8330, dated 10/5/9, by MEECo. & NET&TCo. to serve Pratt Associates, signed by clerk.

Conference with Wiring Inspector & various electricians.

Then a conference followed with the Wiring Inspector, Harold Tucke, Jr. and State Inspector Collins, and Donald Knight and three other electricians and Inspector McGurn of the City of Lowell. Mr. Knight made statements of recommendation for use of certain wiring material and Mr. Tucke recommended use of other types. It was finally stated that it was the right and perogative of the town inspector to set the re-

Conference re: Wiring Inspection Methods.

quirements. The Selectmen agreed to this fact. Mr. Knight complained about the obtaining of permits at home of the inspector but other electricians present seemed to approve of the present system. Later it was stated by Mr. Tucke that the hours to obtain permits would be from Monday thru Saturday from 9:00 to 12:00 Noon and from 2:00 to 5:00 PM, effective Nov. 16th. Then the conference ended.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, November 12, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Conference with Registrars and Tn. Clerk re: Precinct Lines.

The Selectmen met with the Town Clerk, Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf, and members of the Board of Registrars, John J. Carr, Edward T. Brick and Mrs. Dorothy Borrows, and Mr. Arnold C. Perham relative to the change of Precinct line between North and West Chelmsford. A map was displayed and Mrs. DeWolf explained that it might be best, now that the new section of Route 3 is being constructed, to use this highway as the dividing line. Also other sections of the town were discussed. The Registrars and Mrs. DeWolf were then given authority to proceed with their study and to come before the Selectmen at a later date with definite plans for new lines, with all material for town meeting articles.

Juror drawn.

A Juror was drawn by Mr. Greenwood. Name drawn was that of Earl K. Burnette, 24 Wright St., North Chelmsford, Mass.

Sidewalk Bids Opened.

Then at 8:15 P.M., in the presence of William E. Belleville, Sealed Bids for the Installation of three sidewalks, were opened. The follow:

Bidders	Acton Road,	Middlesex St.,	Main Street.
Wm. E. Belleville	$ 1,800.00	$ 342.00	$ 1,000.00
James Walsh Sons, Inc.	1,425.00	336.00	990.00

Contract awarded for sidewalks.

Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to award the contract to the low bidder, James Walsh Sons, Inc.

Discussion re: Zoning Violation on Barton Hill Rd.

A group of residents from the Barton Hill Road vicinity were present and also Mr. & Mrs. Wm. E. Belleville, regarding the zoning violation complaint brought against Mr. Belleville for keeping heavy automotive equipment at his home on Barton Hill Road. Mr. McAndrew stated he had conferred with the Town Counsel and had been told that an injuction would be served within two or three days and that court action would follow probably within two weeks, that an attempt had been made by a photographer to take pictures of the conditions but he was not allowed on the premises. Both sides spoke on the subject.

Request for intersection improvements.

Dr. John J. Barry was present to ask that improvements be made a traffic circle at North and Parkhurst Roads. He stated that he had requested the St. Supt. to do the work many times in the past but he has received no action. The Selectmen agreed to confer with Mr. Greenwood, St. Supt. on the matter.

Discussion re: Civil Defense Insurance.

Mr. William Edge was present to ask reasons for not continuing Floater Insurance Policy on Civil Defense Equipment. The Selectmen explained the reasons for not continuing.

Request that Police Aux. have use of old Highway Garage.

Also Mr. Edge requested t at the Special Police Auxiliary Group be permitted to use the vacated Highway Garage Building at the rear of Town Hall. The Selectmen stated they would check into this matter.

Mr. Edge then called the Board's attention to the need for road repairs on Dunstable Road and it was stated that later the road may go under a Chapter 90 plan.

Dunstable Rd. repairs discussed.

It was decided that written applications for Pinball Machine License renewals shall be made by the applicant and each machine to be carefully described as some licenses for 1960 may not be renewed.

Applications to be filed for Pinball Machines.

Then a conference followed with a resident of Dalton Road, near Buckman Drive, regarding drainage problems and the possibility of eliminating present water difficulties. It was finally decided to meet with the St. Supt. and go to the area and study the matter at close hand.

Discussion re: Dalton Road drainage problem.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, November 19, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Members present.

It was decided to hold the next meeting on Nov. 25th, 1959.

Date of next Mtg.

A transfer of a street light location on Richardson Road due to road construction was signed and approved.

Street Light Locatn.transf

A certificate of character reference for new corporation member, Burton I. Stokham for Lowell Congregation of Jehovah Witnesses, Inc. signed.

Certificate of character signed.

It was decided that the Planning Board and Finance Committee should be notified of the number and names of streets submitted to the Selectmen for acceptance at the coming 1960 Annual Town Meeting.

Plann.Bd.& Fin.Comm. to be notified re: St.Accpt. requests.

Then a conference was held with Charles D. Harrington, Terrence O'Rourke, and Edward G. Krasnecki regarding the revision and changing of the Annual Town Report. It was decided that many changes should be made and the Reoording Clerk was requested to ask the Town Clerk of Neeham for additional copies of their report. Then the various departments would be given tear sheets of the Needham report to follow a similar plan of presentation.

Conference re: Town Report Revision.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 25, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Members present.

The Street Supt., Frederick R. Greenwood, reported on various prices for snow plowing. Present rates being $7.00 per hour for large trucks, and $6.00 per hour for small trucks. It was voted unanimously to change the rates to: $8.00 per hour for large trucks and $7.00 per hour for small trucks (those of 2 ton and less.)

Rates for snow plowing increased.

Notice from the NEElec.Co. giving correct address for street light orders to go on file.

New address given for St. Light orders.

Mr. Frederick Greenwood was advised to have the sidewalk work finished per items put out for bid, with the exception for the small section, on Acton Road, immediately in front of the new building housing the bowling alley.

Sidwalk work to be completed.

Change for grease pit at Highway garage to be made.

It was voted to write to the Perley Gilbert Associates asking for immediate action to remedy the incorrect measurements established for the grease pit in the new highway garage.

By-Law to be prepared for bonds when work is done on public ways.

It was agreed to consider inserting an amendment to the By-Laws of the Town governing the posting of bonds for public utility construction on town highways.

Board of Selectmen
by Edgar P. George
Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 3, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Discussion re: sidewalk installation work for Main St.

Messrs. Guy Staveley and Mr. Lovejoy were present to ask the Selectmen about the new West Chelmsford sidewalk which is to be installed in the very near future. They stated that present plans called for the sidewalk to beplaced partially on their onw land. The Street Supt., Frederick R. Greenwood, was present and he was requested to have an engineer determine the accurate location of the property lines and to also hold up sidewalk installation work until further facts are known.

Constable appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint Ralph J. Hulslander as a Constable for the ensuing year.

Printing of Annual Town Report Discussed.

The printing of the annual town report was discussed and it was decided that the Industrial Development Commission should be notified to send a report and that the Town Clerk's Report should be the same as prior year.

Inquiry to Town Counsel re: Pearson Trailer Case.

The Recording Clerk was requested to write to the Town Counsel and obtain in writing a synoposis of the Roy Pearson Trailer Case and the present status.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 10, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. George was unable to attend due to illness.

Licenses Granted.

The following licenses were granted:
Common Victualer - All Alcoholic. All renewals Fee: $600. each.
1. Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294 Billerica Road,
2. Paramount Lounge, Inc., 40 Vinal Sq.
3. Meadow Grille, of Chelmsford, Inc., 100 Tyngsboro Road.
4. Skip's, Inc., 116 Chelmsford St.
5. Princeton Creamery, Inc., 147 Princeton St.
6. Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road,
7. Dad & the Boys, Inc., 225 Littleton Road.
8. Dean's Food, Inc., 248 Princeton St.
Retail Package Goods Store, All Alcoholic, All renewals. Fee: $900. each.
1. North Chelmsford Wine & Liquor Co., Inc., 2 Vinal Sq.
2. Hindman's Market, Inc., 229 Chelmsford St.
3. Chelmsford Package Store, Inc., 149 Gorham St.
Retail Package Goods Store, Wines and Malt Beverages, All renewals.
1. Chelmsford Wine Hop, Inc., 37 Central Sq. Ree: $200. each.
2. Patrick J. Murphy, 39 Vinal Sq.,
Club License. Renewal, Fee: $100.
1. American Legion, Alberton W. Vinal Post 313, Inc., Willis Dr. & Groton Rd.

Licenses Granted.

Druggist License, Renewal, Fee: $300.
1. C. Richmond Page, dba Page's Drug Store, 34 Central Sq.
Auctioneer, Renewals, Fee: $2.00 each.
P. Harold Mullen, 179 Dalton Road,
M. Edward Riney, 4 Bartlett St.,
Common Victualer Licenses, All renewals. Fee: $5.00 each.
A. S. Bentas, Concord Road,
Anthony Privitera, d/b/a Tony & Ann's., 135 Princeton St.
Anthony & James Vasilopoulos, dba King Doughnut, 195 Princeton St.
Leonard Olenchak, d/b/a Dottie's Doughnut Shop, 9 Fletcher St.
Lorraine E. Lachut, d/b/a Vinal Sq. Variety, 2 Groton Road,
John R. Kydd, dba Jack's Diner, 11 Central Sq.
George K. Hill, 10 Vinal Sq.,
Thomas E. Jr. and Clifford E. Firth, dba Firth Farms, 105 Carlisle St.
Charles Ballos, dba Ballos Diner, 17-19 Vinal Sq.,
George McMahon, 370 North Road,
Paul Wainwright, dba Paul & Bill's Chuck Wagon, at various locations.
Joseph Donovan, dba Elm Diner, 67 Princeton St.
Meadow Grille of Chelmsford, Inc., 100 Tyngsboro Road,
Page's Drug Store, 35 Central Sq.
Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294 Billerica Road,
Princeton Creamery, Inc., 147 Princeton St.
The Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road.
Dad & the Boys, Inc., 225 Littleton Road,
North Chelmsford Wine & Liquor Co., 2 Tyngsboro Road,
Skip's Diner, Inc., 116 Chelmsford St.
American Letion, Alberton W. Vinal Post 313, Inc., Groton Road,
Dean's Food, Inc., 248 Princeton St.
Paramount Lounge, Inc., 40 Vinal Sq.
Auto Dealer, Class I, Renewals, Fee: $15.00 each.
Roger Boyd, Inc., 40 Chelmsford St.
Auto Dealer, Class II, Renewals, Fee: $15.00 each.
Kenneth V. Cutcliffe, dba Ken's Gulf Service, 100 Chelmsford St.
Harold C. Hurst, dba Harold's Socony Serv. Station, 112 Tyngsboro Road,
Orman Williams Leland, dba Westland Motors, 293 Chelmsford St.
Joseph S. Starr, dba Starr Service Station, 122 Gorham St.
Frederick J. Fantozzi, dba Fred's Gulf Service, 1-9 Princeton St.
Percy T. Robinson, dba North Chelmsford Motors, 25 Vinal Sq.
Joseph Vieira, dba Vinal Sq. Garage, 2-4 Tyngsboro Road,
Eleftherios Liakos, dba P&J Service Station, 133 Princeton St.
Auto Dealer, Motor Vehicle Junk License, Class III, Renewals, Fee: $1500 EACH.
Edward L. McGarry & Frank Dimodana, Jr., dba Chelmsford Auto Parts, Sleeper St.
Roger Boyd, Inc., 40 Chelmsford St.
Sam Abdallah, dba North Road Garage, 374 North Road
Weekday Entertainment Licens. Renewals. Fee: $5.00 each.
Alfred DeAmicis, President of Paramount Lounge, Inc., 40 Vinal Sq.,
Dean's Food, Inc., dba The Glenview, 248 Princeton St.
The Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road,
Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294 Billerica Road,
Sunday Entertainment, Renewals, Fee: $154.00 each.
Princeton Lounge, 147 Princeton St.
Dean's Food, Inc., 248 Princeton St.
Skip's Diner, Inc., 116 Chelmsford St.
The Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road,
Ballos Diner, 17-19 Vinal Sq.

Inquiry re: safe-keeping of Parkhurst Rd. sign.

Mrs. Margaret Mills was present to request that care be taken by the Street Supt. to place in a safe place the Parkhurst Road signboard as it may have been left in vacated highway yard. Mr. Coburn was requested to foward memo to the St. Supt. regarding this subject.

Juror drawn.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, the name of George S. Archer was drawn for Jury Duty by Mr. McAndrew.

Zoning Article for change of area received.

Letter and article for Town Meeting regarding Zoning Change of land owned by North Chelmsford Congregational Church Property from their attorney, James P. Cassidy, and information to be kept available for preparation of warrant.

Plan for area between Old Midd. Turnpike & Rainbow Ave. to be prepared.

A letter from the Planning Board suggesting that the road area between the Old Middlesex Turnpike and Rainbow Avenue be accepted by the Town Meeting read and it was decided to engage the engineering services of Mr. Sturtevant so that plan will be available for town meeting action.

Gasoline Storage License Hearing.

A hearing for a gasoline storage license for 1,000 gallons underground at 16 Oak St., Chelmsford by William C. Belleville was conducted at 8:15 PM. Various abutters and interested persons were present including Olga and Chris Tsoukalas, George Gordon, Edward Barron, Joseph Lukas Edgar Hunt and Charles Koulas. Mr. Lukas asked about the granting of the building permit and wondered if the granting of such a permit was a violation of the zoning laws. He stated that there would be strenuous objection to the granting of the license, if the building permit had been given in violation of the code. The Selectmen stated they would take the matter under advisement and inquire from the Bldg. Insp. the reasons for granting the building permit.

Acceptance of road requested by Mr. Lukas.

Mr. Lukas then inquired about the acceptance of and giving a name to the new street which connects two older roads in vicinity of his home and the need for cutting away of sharp corner at one location. The Selectmen stated they would inquire about these road matters.

Minimum amt. of bonds est. for Treas. & Coll.

Communication from the Dept. of Corporations and Taxation stating that Treasurer's Bond for 1960 shall be no less than $53,500. and the Collector's Bond for 1960 shall be no less than $57,700. read and inquiry now to be made from Mr. Wilkins as to the amounts he will use.

Pole Location Abandonment petition signed.

Petition for 1 Pole Location Abandonment on Main St., C-8354, dated 11/13/59 signed by the majority of the members. Petition requested by NET&TC. and MEElec.Co. No hearing was required.

Complaint re: Acton Road area appearance referred to Health Agt.

Letter from Mr. Martin K. Bovey calling attention to amount of debris and waste paper thrown in vicinity of new bowling alley building on Acton Road, read and it was decided to refer the matter to the Health Agent, Mr. Teehan, asking him to suggest to the contractor that a container be used on the premises and that it be placed weekly at the curb for collection by waste department.

Next meeting dates established.

It was decided to hold regular meetings on Dec. 23rd and Dec. 30th.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 14, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George present.

Gasoline storage license granted.

License to William C. Belleville for storage of 1,000 gallons of gasoline underground at 16 Oak St. signed by Selectmen. Hearing was conducted on Dec. 10th. Fee: $5.00. Adv. costs $5.75. Total due town: $10.75.

Board of Selectmen
by Edgar P. George,
Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 17, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Members present.

Certificate for character reference for various persons residents of Chelmsford regarding the incorporation of "Old Chelmsford Garrison House Association, Inc. for Gordon P. DeWolf and thirteen others, signed.

Certificate of Incorp. Reference Signed.

A temporary wine and malt license for John Ferreira, 77 Riverneck Road, Chelmsford for Dec. 18, 1959 granted. Fee: $0.50.

License Granted.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 23, 1959.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Members present

It was decided that a letter of inquiry should be written to Mr. T. F. Hanron, Dist. Highway Engineer, regarding his plans for drainage problem off Chelmsford St. near Skip's Restaurant.

Inquiry to go to Dist High.Eng. re: Drainage Problem.

Sealed Bids for the purchase of gasoline for town vehicles opened at 8:15 P.M. One bid from Gulf Oil Co. was received. They quoted tank wagon price, less discount of 3.78¢ pr. gallon, plus state taxes. On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted to award the contract to the Gulf Oil Co. per bid received.

Sealed Bid opened for Purchase of Gasoline. Contract awarded.

Certificate of character for two incorporators, for Incorporators of Ladies Auxiliary to the Grand Duke of Lithuania Vytantas Club, Inc.

Incorporation Certificate signed.

At 8:30 P.M. a hearing was scheduled for Old Westford Road, 1 Pole Location, C-8349, dated 11/9/9 by MEECo. and NET&TCo. The hearing was not conducted and the petition was returned to the utility Co. per instructions of Mr. Ratcliffe of the MEEC.

At 8:45 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the NET&TCo., #457, dated 11/25/59 for 2 Pole Locations on North Road, for highway construction. No persons were present and the petition was signed by all members.

Pole Location Hearing.

Notice of Personal Injury to Alfred Longval, 98 Avon St., Lowell, Mass. stating he fell near defective catch basin in North Chelmsford, referred to Town Counsel.

Notice of Claim for Personal Injury.

Legal notice stating that George's Plumbing & Heating Co. of 45 Merrimack St., Lowell, Mass. had not paid $440.00 to New England Insulation Co. regarding new highway garage, referred to Town Counsel.

Notice of claim against Highway Garage Sub-Contractor.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint Vernon Fletcher as Town Counsel, effective 1-1-60 and that he be informed to confer with Judge Valentine regarding uncompleted legal work.

Town Counsel Appointed.

The Town Treasurer & Tax Collector, Town Clerk and Assessors petitioned the Selectmen for an article in warrant of Annual Town Meeting for planning and building of additional office space. The Selectmen decided to confer with these town officials prior to making any definite plans.

Town Officers ask for additional office space.

It was decided to appoint Loretta Anderson, Park Road, as an Election Officer for Prec. 5; she to serve as an Inspector.

Election Officers Appointed.

It was decided to appoint Doris Simpson as Clerk for Precinct 5 due to temporary resignation of Evelyn Philbrook .

Request to go to Personnel Board re: their study of Salaries of Elected Officials.

Mr. Walter Wilkins appeared before the Selectmen to request that a written notice be sent to the Personnel Board for re-study of Salaries and Wages of Elected Officials.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 30, 1959.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Complaint re: damage to private Property by Bldg. Movers.

Mr. Arnaud R. Blackadar was present and inquired as to what officials had authorized the permits for moving of buildings along highways. He stated that his lawn had been damaged and the cost of repairs might be as much as $250.00 and that no one had previously asked his permission to come onto his land and no one had contacted him after the damage to pay for damages. He stated that trees along the roadways had been damaged and he then suggested that the town obtain fidelity bonds in advance to protect the town. Mr. Greenwood stated that the Police Chief had been giving the permits and the Selectmen then agreed that no further permits should be granted by the chief and that all applications in the future come before the Selectmen.

Discussion re: Insurance Budget.

Messrs. Eustace B. Fiske and Henrick R. Johnson, were present to confer with the Selectmen about the budget for insurance for 1960. It was decided that an appraisal by a professional appraisor be made so that new values of town buildings may be obtained. The budget figures as presented were approved.

Bid Opened for Town Reports. Contract awarded.

Sealed Bid for the Printing of the Annual Town Reports was opened and the only bid recieved was from the Billerica Publishing Co., Inc. Later the publisher, Mr. Bocko, appeared and then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to award the contract to the Billerica Pub. Co., Inc., per bid received. Bid opened at 8:30 P.M.

Conference to be held with St. Supt.

It was decided to meet with the Street Supt., Frederick R. Greenwood on Jan. 7, 1959 at 8:30 P.M.

Conference to be held with Town Officials

It was also decided to meet with town officials at 3:00 P.M. on Jan. 9th, 1959 regarding additional office space at the town hall.

Pole Location Abandonments.

Petition for 13 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on Chelmsford St., 4 on Golden Cove Road and 2 on Stedman St., C-8359, dated 11/24/59 by the NET&TCo. and MEECo. signed by all members. No hearing was required.

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:45 P.M. a hearing was conducted for an underground conduit along North Road, #458, dated 12/8/59 by NET&TC. Edward B. Bell and Elizabeth Bell and George H. Domaingue, Jr. and Harold H. Tucke, Jr. were present. Mr. Domaingue objected stating that his present service may be affected. It was finally decided to have the telephone company representative, Mr. Casey, present on 1/7/59 at 8:00 P.M. to explain the petition.

Pole Location hearing.

At 9:00 P.M. a hearing was held for 8 Pole Locations and 11 Pole Location Abandonments on North Road, C-8344, dated 11/4/59. Mr. & Mrs. Bell, Mr. Tucke and Mr. Robinson and Mr. Domaingue were present and the Selectmen could not adequately explain the petition so it was decided to call in utility representatives to explain the petition on Jan. 7th at 8:00 P.M.

At 9:15 P.M. a hearing was held for 4 Joint Pole Locations and 9 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on Westford St., C-8345, dated 11/4/59, by MEECo. and NET&TCo. Nancy P. Clark, James L. Gillespie, Lyman E. Pevey and Jason A. H. Johnston were present and Mr. Johnston objected to placing of poles on his side of the street. It was decided to call in utility representatives for further explaining on Jan. 7th at 8:15 P.M.

Pole Location Hearing.

The Selectmen then conferred with the Town Counsel, Vernon Fletcher, regarding various legal cases pending.

Conference with Town Counsel

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 7, 1960.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood, and Mr. George were present.

Members present.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, two jurors were drawn.
They were: F. Edwin Ballinger, 15 Cottage Row.
Andrew J. Hammond, 223 Park Road.

Jurors Drawn.

It was decided to meet with the Registrars on Jan. 14th at 8:30 P.M. regarding changing of precinct bounds.

Conference with Registrars to be held.

At 8:05 P.M. the continuation of the North Road underground conduit hearing was held with Mr. Jeremiah Casey of the Telephone Co. present to explain. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tucke, Jr., Mr. George H. Domaingue and Mr. William D. Robinson, were present. After explaining that all abutters present would not be affected by the plan, each person stated they had no further objections. Then the petition was signed.

Explanation by utility employees for telephone conduit.

Then at 8:10 P.M. the continuation of the North Road Pole Location Hearing was held with each of the same abutters mentioned in above paragraph being present. Mr. Radcliffe of the MEECo. was present and after explaining the new locations and abandonments planned, each abutter stated they would not object. Then the petition was signed.

Explanation by utility employees for pole locations.

Then at 8:15 P.M. the continuation of the Westford St. Pole Location Hearing was held with Mr. Radcliffe of the MEECo. being present to explain the petition. Messrs. Jason A. H. Johnston and Clincoln Clark, Jr. were present and after viewing complete detailed blueprints of the changes to be made, each abutter stated they would not object to the petition. Mr. Casey of the NET&TCo. was also present at this hearing. Then the petition was signed.

Explanation by utility employees for pole locations.

At 8:30 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened for the purchase of rock salt for the Highway Dept. The bids, as received, are listed as follows:

	Name of Company	Price at plant	Price delivered
1.	Eastern Minerals	$10.75 perton.	$12.80 per ton.
2.	International Salt Co.	10.75 " "	12.80 " "
3.	Chemical Corp.	12.00 " "	16.00 " "

The bids were referred to the Street Supt. and he was instructed to purchase from two lowest bidders at his own discretion.

Sealed Bids for Rock Salt Opened.

Mr. Joseph E. Ouellette of 12 C Street, was present to ask that the town plow C Street better during the winter months than what has been done in the recent past. Mr. Frederick R. Greenwood was present and stated that the street end was difficult to plow. It was finally decided that Mr. Greenwood

Request that "C" St. be plowed.

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and the Selectmen and Mr. Ouellette would confer on Saturday Jan. 9th at 4:00 - 4:30 P.M. regarding the matter. It was felt that all persons should confer at the location of the problem.

Conference with St. Supt re: new highway equipment needed.

A long conference was held with the Street Supt. regarding the need for new equipment for the Highway Dept. It was finally decided that articles would appear in the Annual Town Meeting Warrant for purchase of a truck chassis, a waste truck and a street line-painting machine.

Police Dept. requested to investigate new owner of Dean's Food, Inc.

A letter from Atty. Vernon R. Fletcher stating that ten shares of stock will be transferred from Robert Feehan to Harold Kecy of Lowell, pertaining to Dean's Food, Inc. Letter asked that the Selectmen approve this transfer. It was decided to obtain a written police department report on Mr. Kecy before taking any action on the request.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 14, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Application for Class II Auto Dealer's License.

Application for a Class 2, Used Car Dealer's License for Christy's Used Cars by Olga Tsoukalas at Oak St., Chelmsford, taken under advisement.

Special Police Officer apptd.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint Robert E. MacInnis, 6 Groton Road, North Chelmsford as a Special Police Officer for Road Construction.

New streets approved for acceptance.

It was decided that the Planning Board and Finance Committee should both be notified of the three streets recently approved by the Selectmen for acceptance at the coming Annual Town Meeting. They are Colonial Terrace, Marose Avenue, and a portion of Edgelawn Ave.

Conference re: change of precinct lines.

A conference was then held with the Registrars of Voters, John J. Carr, Dorothy Borrows and Edward T. Brick and Town Clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, regarding change in precinct lines. A plan was displayed showing the changes and four articles describing the changes were then accepted by the Selectmen for action at town meeting.

Facilities at East for Registration & Voting to be requested.

It was stated that registration and voting facilities would be needed in Prec. 4 for Feb. 10th and March 7th and it was decided that the East School is the best location and a letter notifying the School Supt. of this need to be sent by Recording Clerk, and Mr. George stated he would confer with Mr. Rivard pertaining to details of this request.

Request for bldg. removal permit.

Ernest Byam was present and asked permission for his brother, Arthur W. Byam for removal of a garage from North Chelmsford to Pine Hill Road. It was decided to approve this removal to be completed within 30 days, and that the Recording Clerk shall notify the Police Chief and Tree Warden.

Conference re need for Stabilazation Fund for Fire Dept.

Then a conference followed with the Fire Chief, Ernest Byam, regarding equipment needs for his department. It was finally decided that a Stabilization Fund should be established and that an article for $5,000. to start the fund should be placed before the voters; such fund to be used at a later date for equipment purchses.

Photograph of Judge Valentine to be obtained.

The Recording Clerk was requested to obtain a suitable picture of Judge Valentine for publication in the town report.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
January 21, 1960.

Members present

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood & Mr. George were present.

Vote not to issue Pinball Machine Licenses.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George it was unanimously voted not to renew any licenses for multi-coin operated pin ball machines and that each establishment be notified of this vote and that the machines be removed from the premises and that the Police Dept. be so notified.

Conference with Police Chief re: Trucking on Town Roads.

It was decided that the Police Chief, Ralph J. Hulslander, should appear before the Selectmen at the meeting of Jan. 28th regarding the problem of trucking in Chelmsford by road contractors.

Approval given for transfer of stock.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George it was unanimously voted to approve the transfer of stock of Dean's Food, Inc. in the amount of ten shares from Robert P. Feehan to Harold Kecy.

Pole Location Hearing.

A hearing was held at 8:15 P.M. on the petition of the MEECo. and NET&TCo. for 1 Joint Pole Location and 1 Joint Pole Loaction abandonment on Old Middlesex Turnpike, C-8356, dated 11/20/59. Abutters present included Arthur G. Deschaine, Ruth E. McCallum, Pearl E. Begley and Frank R. & Helen M. Angier. The plan was displayed and both Mr. and Mrs. Angier objected to the pole location as they said a guy wire would be in front of a window and that another pole was on their land. It was decided to table the matter and call all parties together for a conference at 8:00 P.M. on 1/28/60 at which time a MEECo. representative would be present.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 28, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Conference with Const. Co. Truckers re: Speeding, spillage and overloading.

Chief Ralph J. Hulslander and two representatives of the Campanelli & Cardi Const. Co. were present, at the Selectmen's request. The Selectmen stated that there had been a great many complaints regarding the heavy trucking on the town secondary and the speeding, spillage and damage to roads. The Selectmen then individually expressed their great displeasure regarding these infractions and they demanded immediate improvement. One of the representatives then assured the Selectmen that the company and employees would comply with all requests.

Continuatn. of Pole Location Hearing.

Then a continuation of the pole location of Old Middlesex Turnpike took place with Mr. Kenneth Radcliffe of the MEECo. and Mr. Jeremiah Casey of the NET&TCo. being present to advise abutters, Mr. & Mrs. Frank R. Angier, Arthur G. Deschaine and Robert C. McCallum. After a long conference it was decided to make up a new plan which might satisfy all parties. Then the hearing concluded pending receipt of a new petition

Applications to Peddle.

Applications to Peddle were then signed for:

1. Bertram H. Brown, 200 Croton Road, North Chelmsford.
2. Charles W. Livingston, Jr., 36 Newfield St., North Chelmsford.
3. Robert C. Yates, 21A Stedman St., Chelmsford.

Quotation of cost of blanket surety bond.

Eustace B. Fiske then presented the Selectmen with a letter containing information about the cost of a blanket bond for town employees and officials. The premium quotation for three-yr. period was $468.70 The subject was tabled.

Conference re: Southgate Rd. drainage problem.

Messrs. John Podgorni and Harry Palmer were present regarding the drainage problem on Southgate Road. After some discussion it was decided that further study by the Selectmen would be necessary to determine the best procedure to be followed.

Petition for Pole Re-Location Granted.

Mr. Radcliffe of the MEECo. presented the Selectmen with a petition for one relocation of a pole to clear driveway on Chelmsford St., C-8389, dated 1/28/60 by MEECo and NET&TCo. No hearing was required. Petition was requested by Armand Gagne. The petition was then signed by the clerk.

Pole Re-Location & Abandonmt Petition Granted.

A petition for 1 Joint Pole Re-Location and 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Dalton Road, to clear a driveway, C-8371, dated 12/30/59 by MEECo. and NET&TCo. was then signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Election Officers Resign.

The resignation of Evelyn Philbrook as Clerk for Precinct 5 was received and accepted.

The resignation of Irene Borrows as Clerk for Precinct 1 was received and accdpted.

Election Officers Appointed.

Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint:

1. Lorraine Simard as Clerk for Precinct 1.
2. Lillian F. Lewis as Inspector for Precinct 1.

Request from Aux. Police for use of Highway Garage Buildings Granted.

Messrs. Bertram Needham, Richard Hoey and John Daughraty were present to ask if the Auxiliary Policy Officers could have permission to have use of the Highway Garage Facilities at rear of Center Town Hall for their quarters and for a shooting range for target practice, all improvements to be made at expense of the organization.

Pole Re-Loc. Pet. Granted.

Petition for 1 Joint Pole Re-Location on Groton Road, near Westford Town Line, #463, dated 1/20/60 by NET&TCo. and MEECo. signed.

Pole Location Hearings.

Then the following-described pole locations here held:

At 8:15 P.M. Petition for 1 Joint Pole Location and 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Pine Hill Road, C-8370, dated 12/14/59 by MEECo. and NET&TCo. No abutters were present and the petition was signed by all members.

At 8:30 P.M. Petition for 470 ft. of underground conduit along Westford St. #461, dated 1/5/60 for road reconstruction by NET&TCo. Mr. Linclon Clark, Jr. was present. Mr. Jeremiah A. Casey was also present to explain the request. There were no objections. Then the petition was signed by all members.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 4, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood & Mr. George were present.

Jurors Drawn.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, the names of three prospective jurors were drawn:

1. By Mr. George: Frank D. Riley, 25 Second St.
2. By Mr. McAndrew: Alfred Beaudry, 11 Rainbow Ave.
3. By Mr. George: Edward F. Fennell 207 Dalton Road,

Application to Peddle.

Application to Peddle for Harvey A. Aubert, 31 Parkerville Rd., South Chelmsford signed by all members.

ABC inquiry re: managership of Dean's.

Letter from ABC regarding changing of capital stock to Harold Kecy and inquiry as to name of manager read and the Selectmen decided to meet with Mr. Kecy prior to the next meeting.

Continuation of Pole Location Hearing.

Petition finally signed.

The continuation of hearing for pole location on Old Middlesex Road was held with Arthur Deschaine and Robert C. McCallum, both abutters, being present and Kenneth Radcliffe of the MEECo. Mr. Radcliffe explained that he was unable to prepare a new petition as he could not obtain permission of other abutters for placing of pole and he stated there was little else to be done except ask that the original petition be submitted for consideration. Then the Selectmen approved the petition stating that the original petition offered the best plan for solving the problem.

Pole Location Hearings.

Then pole location hearings were held as follows:

1. At 8:15 P.M. on the Re-Location of 4 Poles on Hunt Road, and removal of one pole on Hunt Road, by NET&TC., #459, dated 12/30/59. Mr. Leory Dutton was present and did not object to the petition. The Selectmen then signed the petition.
2. At 8:30 P.M. on the Location of 1 Joint Pole, 1 one joint pole location abandonment on Hunt Road, C-8369, dated 12/14/69 by MEECo. and NET&TCo. for road reconstruction. Christy Emanouil was present and the petition was signed after the abutter did not object.
3. At 8:45 P.M. for 1 Pole Location on Tyngsboro Road, No. 59963, dated 12/31/59 from Worcester County Elec. Co. No abutters were present and the petition was signed.

Inquiry re: Dog Damage Claim.

Letter received from Mrs. Dorothe E. Holmes stating pheasants had been killed by dog owned by Randloph Leslie and Selectmen stated that a reply should be sent stating the town could not become involved as the owner of dog is known and that the matter is a civil case between two individuals.

Boy Scouts invited to participate in 4/19/60 Concord Celebration.

Notice of April 19th celebration in Concord, Mass. and request that Chelmsford Boy Soouts participate, given to Mr. George and he stated he would refer the communication to town scout leaders.

Inquiry re: Southgate Rd. drainage problem.

Messrs. John Podgorni and Harry Palmer were present to inquire if the Selectmen had received any information on future road drainage plans from the State Engineer. They were informed that a conference had been held but that further talks were necessary.

Letter re: Stedman St. road conditions.

Letter from Daniel Leahey of Stedman St. calling attention to condition of Stedman St. at Chelmsford St. read and reply to be sent stating that Selectmen have no authority to repair this state land but that they would request the resident state engineer to make improvements.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 11, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Pole Removal petition signed.

Petition for removal of two joint Poles on Tyngsboro Road, near Wood St., #464, dated 1/25/60 by NET&TCo. and MEEC. signed by the Clerk.

Application to Peddle

Application for License to Peddle for Charles W. Livingston, 36 Newfield St., signed.

Pole Location Hearings.

The following pole location hearings were then held:

1. For 1 Joint Pole Location and 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Concord Road, C-8373, dated 12/22/59 by MEECo. & NET&TC. held at 8:15 p.m. No abutters were present to object & petition was signed.
2. For 2 Joint Pole Locations and 2 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on Boston Road, C-8376, dated 1/4/60 for reconstruction purposes. Louis Hannaford, representing the Purity Food Stsores, present and he did not object. Petition signed by all members. Hearing held at 8:30PM.
3. For 1 Joint Pole Relocation on Hunt Roand and removal of 1 telephone pole, #460, dated, 12/30/59 by NET&T. and MEECo. No abutters were present at hearing at 8:45 PM. and petition was signed by all members.

Bids for Purchase of new equipment to be called.

It was decided to open bids for town equipment on March 10th.

Letter re: Stedman St. road conditions received.

Letter from Mr. B. B. Morgan, Jr. 20 Stedman St. read and a suitable reply to be prepared.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 15, 1960.

Hearings conducted for Street Acceptances.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, was the only member present.

Street Acceptance Hearings were conducted for ✓Beech St., ✓Gail Ave., ✓Harold St., ✓Pearson St., ✓Murray Hill Road, ✓Arbutus Road, ✓Edgelawn Avenue, ✓Marose Avenue, ✓McFarlin Road, ✓Kensington Drive, ✓Colonial Drive, ✓Oriole St., ✓Lauderdale Road, ✓Balsom Drive, ✓Sycamore Street, ✓Lancaster Avenue, ✓Hickory Lane,

Board of Selectmen
by Robert F. McAndrew,
Chairman.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, February 18, 1960.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood and Mr. George were present.

Members present.

A representative from the New England Power Co. appeared to ask about extending the right of way along the Water District take near Mill Road. The Selectmen told him to contact the Water District Commissioners regarding this request.

NEPower re: right of way along Water Dist. land.

It was moved and voted that a Mosquito Control Committee be established for the purpose of reviewing this project and making recommendations for the Town Meeting. The committee shall consist of Richard McDermott, Finance Committee Representative, Edmund Welch, Board of Health representative, Edgar P. George of the Selectmen and Myles J. Hogan, Mosquito Control Supt.

Mosquito Control Committee appointed.

Board of Selectmen
by Edgar P. George,
Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 25, 1960.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. George were present.

Members present.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf, the following-named jurors were drawn:

1. Frank H. Fiske; 2. Donald J. Ellison; 3. Donald Gray.

Jurors Drawn.

Street Layouts for seventeen streets were signed and the Recording Clerk delivered same to the Office of the Town Clerk.

Street Layouts Signed.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 3, 1960.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman,& Mr. Greenwood present. Mr. George was unable to attend. the first part of the meeting but did arrive later.

Members present.

Approval of Treasury Warrants #24 and 25.

Warrants signed.

Complaint of water hole on Warren Avenue by Mr. Lawrence Miskell. The Selectmen decided to investigate the matter with the owner of the land, Roberts Homes Inc.

Complaint of water hole on Warren Ave.

Claim from James J. Fox for auto damages due to road conditions referred to Town Counsel, Vernon R. Fletcher.

Claim for auto damages

Sunday License for Nan's Coffee Shop signed and approved. Fee: $4.00.

License Granted.

It was voted to disqualify Joseph Dunigan, Warden for Precinct 2 and it was voted to appoint Florence E. Beauregard as Warden, and also Anna E. Cummings as Deputy Warden (Temporary) and Mildred Hehir and Helen Aubrey as Inspectors (Temporary).

In West Chelmsford Mildred Wilkins disqualified herself for Election Officer duties and Gloria M. Patenaude was moved to Clerk and Grace Luke was appointed Inspector.

Election Officals Disqualify and temporary replacements appointed.

Board of Selectmen
by Raymond J. Greenwood,
Clerk Pro-tem.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 10, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew, Chairman, Mr. Greewood and Mr. George were present.

Selectmen organize for ensuing year.

Then the Selectmen organized for the ensuing year. On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted by the majority that Mr. Greenwood serve as Chairman. Then on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted that Mr. McAndrew should serve as Clerk..

Applicants appear for Bowling Alley License.

Messrs. Stanley A. Giffin and William Rodopoulos were present to inquire about licenses for the Bowl-O-Rama on Acton Road which will open on March 17th. They were particularly interested in the Bowling Alley License. After a short discussion the Selectmen stated they would consider the request; decide later in the evening and all licenses would be available the following day.

Licenses Granted.

Later after the applicants had departed it was decided to issue the Bowling Alley License for $5.00 fee per alley as annual rate and a pro-rata rate of $15.00 from 3/10/60 to 5/1/60, date of expiration of annual license. Also a Sunday License (Fee: $4.00) and a Common Victualer License (Fee: $5.00) were granted..

Licenses Granted.

Also a Sunday License, and Common Victualer's License (Fees: $4.00 and $5.00 respectively) were granted to Allan H. and Leona M. Adams at 10 Vinal Square.

Sealed Bids Opened for Purchase of Police Cruisers & Highway Dept. Equipment.

Sealed Bids were then opened at 8:15 P.M. for purchase of various type of automotive equipment, in the presence of the Street Supt. Frederick R. Greenwood, and five company representatives:

Police Cruiers:	Roger Boyd, Inc:	$4,175.00	
	Lowell Motor Sales:	4,949.00	
Line Marker:	Files Equipment Co:	975.00	2% Disc.
	Municip. Sig.&Supp:	820.00	
Sidewalk Plow:	H. F. Davis Co.	4,090.00	& $390. &$425.00
	Pesco Equip. Co.	4,690.00	
	Nine Acre Eq. Co.	4,876.00	& 410. & 400.
	Clyde Everett Co.	5,080.00	5% Dis.
Pickup Truck	Eastern Truck Sales	1,900.00	
	Roger Boyd, Inc.	1,595.00	
	Lowell Motor Sales:	1,823.00	
Truck Cab & Chassis:	Eastern Truck Sales	$3,270.00	
	Roger Boyd, Inc.	3,400.00	
	Lowell Motor Sales	3,474.00	
Chasis & Cab to Mount Packer Body:			
	Eastern Truck Sales:	7,375.00	
	Lowell Motor Sales	7,857.00	
Packer Body:	Sandberg Equipment Co.	4,630.00	
	Casey & Dupuis Corp.	5,395.00	
	Gar Wood Co.	5,550.00	
	Bleiler Co.	5,600.00	2% Disc.

Inquiry about Graniteville Rd. drainage problem.

Mr. Lee Wilson and three other men from the Stratford Development were present to inquire about town assistance in drainage problem and need for filling of ditch. The Selectmen stated they would consider the problem after visiting the area in question.

Letter re: open pit filled with water.

Letter from Lawrence P. Miskell regarding an open pit filled with water at Warren Ave. and Gail St. discussed and a letter to be sent to Mr. Miskell stating developer will make improvements once weather conditions improve.

Animal Insp. nominated.

Dr. Winslow E. Merrill was nominated as Animal Inspector..

Board of Selectmen by AHCoburn Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 17, 1960.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present

Eustace B. Fiske appeared before the Board to inquire about the writing of an insurance bond for town employees and officials. A premium cost of the bond was quoted and the Selectmen then decided to study the subject and consider the matter.

Conference re: Bond Insurance.

Petitions were then adopted by the Selectmen for the removal of utility poles described as follows:

1. Petition for 1 Pole Location Removal on Princeton Blvd., at Brouillette St., #467, dated 2/26/60 by the NET&TCo. signed by the Clerk.
2. Petition for 1 Pole Location Removal on Middlesex St. #C-8403, dated 3/7/60 by MEECo. signed by all members.

Petitions for Pole Removal Locations adopted.

A Common Victualer's License was granted to Roland Boucher, dba Dairy Queen, 110 Tyngsboro Road, North Chelmsford. Fee:$5.00.

License granted.

Then on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint Winslow E. Merrill as Animal Inspector for the ensuing year; term to expire: 3/1961.

Animal Inspector appointed.

Then on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint the following-named Weighers of Merchandise, all employees of the Gilet Wool Scouring Corp., all terms to expire: 3/1961: J. Henry Duffy, Frederick W. Knox, Sr., John J. Hehir, Francis J. Sakalinski, Mederic Theriault, Eugene E. Gilet, Clifford M. Hoyt, Ovila Sirois, Arthur Beaulieu, Hormisdas J. Cote, Arthur Soucy, Manuel Ferreira.

Weighers of Mdse. appointed.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 24, 1960.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

Mr. Robert Cappella was present to incuire about the bill he had previously submitted to the St. Supt. for cost of repairs to his home due to blasting nearby for road construction purposes. Mr. Greenwood stated he would confer with the St. Supt. to learn status of the claim. It was believed that the State Engineer for Chap. 90 project work had approved the claim.

Claim against town for Dwelling damages.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was unanimously voted to appoint William Jones as a Weigher for the Gilet Wool Scouring Corp..

Weigher appointed.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 31, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Loan Notes signed.

Notes for the borrowing of $500,000. in anticipation of revenue signed in the presence of the Town Clerk.

Complaint re: dangerous dog.

Petition signed by approx. sixteen persons protesting the danger prevalent of a dog owned by Mr. & Mrs. John Smith of Swain Road. It was decided to request the first signer to have statement sworn to prior to any further action, to comply with the requirements of the law.

Hearing for underground conduit.

A hearing was held at 8:15 P.M. on the petition of the NET&TCo. for four manholes and approx. 728 feet, of underground conduit along North Road & at Central Sq., #465, dated 3/8/60. Mrs. John Vlahos and Miss Hope Vhalos were present and also Jeremiah Casey of the utility company to explain the request. There were no objections to the petition and it was then signed.

Application for Retail Package Goods Store Lic. rec'd.

Mr. Paul M. McDonough was present regarding his application for an All Alcoholic Retail Package Goods Store License. He was informed that the present quota was filled and also the building must be built before application is received. He then was given both application forms to keep for later submission.

Conference re: Recreational needs.

Mrs. Margaret R. Mills was present regarding the recently passed article for Recreational Committee and she stated she would be pleased to assist the committee.

Inquiry re: Auto Dealer License.

Mr. Chris Tsoukalas was present to inquire about his Class II application for Used Cars. The subject was tabled for one week.

Remodeling of highway garage bldg. discussed.

A group from the Police Relief Assn. was present to discuss the remodeling of old highway garage and it was decided that plans should be drawn and then a joint conference should be held.

Scholarship Month.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, and seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to proclaim April as Scholarship Month.

It was decided to meet with the Bldg. Insp. on 4/6/60 to discuss new fee schedule and inspection program.

Mosquito Control Committee.

Mr. George then spoke of the need for a committee to study the mosquito control project and also that a committee be appointed to study the Representative Form of Town Meeting Government.

Annual Appointments voted.

Then the annual appointments were made, with the exception of the Board of Registrars and Board of Appeals as it was thought that conferences should first be held with each board prior to appointments. The appointments made follow:

On motions made by Mr. George, and seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint:

Lewis I. Hilton, Town Accountant, Term to expire: 3/1963.
Vernon R. Fletcher, Town Counsel, Term to expire: 3/1961.
Frank Wojtas, Dog Officer, Term to expire: 3/1961.
Joseph G. Demers, Bldg. Insp., Term to expire: 3/1961.
Martin K. Bovey, Town Forest Committee, Term exp: 3/1963.

Then Mr. McAndrew voted to terminate the appointment of Edw. T. Brick as Registrar of Voters. No one seconded this motion. It was finally decided to have the Registrars meet with the Selectmen prior to making these appointments & also it was decided to meet with the members of the Board of Appeals prior to making these appointments.

On motions made by Mr. McAndrew, and seconded by Mr. George and voted unanimously, the following appointments were made: (Terms expire: 3/1961.)

Annual Appointments made.

Alfred H. Coburn, Recording Clerk, Board of Selectmen
Frances B. Cummings, Financial Clerk, Board of Selectmen
Frederick R. Greenwood, Street Superintendent.
John W. Carruthers, Custodian of Center Town Hall
Joseph L. Larocque, Custodian of North Town Hall
Cortlandt J. Burkinshaw, Supt. of Burials of Indigent Soldiers and Sailors,
Harold M. Tucke, Jr. Wiring Inspector.
Myles J. Hogan, Moth Supt.

Veterans' Emergency Committee
George Archer, Joseph Sadowski, Perry T. Snow,
John J. McNulty, George F. Waite, Alfred H. Coburn,

Honor Roll Committee
Robert M. Hood, George R. Dixon Thomas E. Firth, Jr.

Civil Defense Committee
Bertram T. Needham, William Edge, Charles Koulas,
Terrence O'Rourke, Veterans' Agent.

Industrial Commission

Arthur F. Haley	Term expires: 3/1963.
Albert E. Walker	" " "
Bertram T. Needham	" " 3/1962.
Arthur B. Worthley, Jr.	" " "

Fence Viewers, Terms expire: 3/1961.
Thomas E. Firth, Jr. Reginald Furness.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 6, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew present.

Conference with Bldg. Insp. re: Fees, License forms, etc.

The Selectmen adopted the Occupancy Permit format as presented by the Bldg. Insp., Joseph Demers, who was present. The format is the type used in Town of Tewksbury. Each permit carries columns for all inspections such as foundation, plumbing, septic tanks, etc. Mr. Demers was instructed to have new permit forms printed. The system of handling fees for Mr. Demers pay was discussed and full reports to Town Accountant, Lewis I. Hilton, will be given, listing each home and the number of inspections. It was unanimously voted to adopt the following Building Inspection Fees:

New Fees voted.

Residential	$15.00
Garages	7.00
Additions	7.00
Remodeling & Interior Alterations	$5.00
Commercial & Industrial	$1.00 per 1,000 estimated values with a minimum of $15.00 and a maximum of $100.00

Contract awarded for purchase of Police Cruisers.

Then the Selectmen met with Frederick R. Greenwood to discuss bids of highway equipment. On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was unanimously voted to award contract for purchase of Police Cruisers to Roger Boyd, Inc. for $4,175.00.

Contract awarded for Purchase of Pickup Truck

It was then unanimously voted to award the contract for the purchase of a Pick-Up Truck for Highway Dept. to Roger Boyd, Inc. for $1,595.00.

For 2-Ton Truck

It was unanimously voted to award the contract for the purchase of a two-ton truck from Eastern Truck Sales for $3,270.00.

For Truck chassis.

It was unanimously voted to award the contract for the purchase of a truck chassis from Eastern Truck Sales for $7,375.00.

Board of Selectmen
by Edgar P. George,
Recording Clerk,
protem.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 7, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew present.

Pole Location petition adopted.

Petition for 6 Joint Pole Locations on Twiss Road, C-8425, dated 3/18/60 by MEECo. and NET&TCo. signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Special Police Officers from other communities appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint Police Officers of surrounding communities for Police Duty in Chelmsford, during times of emergencies, per list presented and recommended by Chief Ralph J. Hulslander.

Complaint re: zoning violation.

Eleven persons then appeared before the Selectmen; all being residents of the Southgate-Northgate and Latch Roads vicinity to protest operation of a dress merchandise & rental business being operated by Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy, who were present. The zoing bylaw was read by Mr. George. Messrs. Pick and Gifford both stated that they did not object to the business. It was stated that the business might be considered in the dressmaking category. Mrs. McCarthy spoke and explained the nature of the business; that she had been a seamstress, now does do rental work to a selected group, during evenings only and that no signs are on the premises. The rental business factor was opposed by several present. The Selectmen stated that the matter would be referred to the Bldg. Inspector for his investigation and also the Town Counsel would be requested to offer assistance in reaching a decision.

Selectmen adjourn to attend testemonial banquet.

The Selectmen then adjourned the meeting in order to attend a testimonial dinner for Mr. Robert F. McAndrew who was recently re-elected.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 14, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Conference re Flagpole repairs.

The Park Commissioners, Arthur L. Bennett, David P. Ramsey and Ralph House appeared before the Selectmen regarding the need for repairs to flagpole in small park in front of Town Hall. They inquired as to who might have authority to maintain the flagpole and they were told it was the general opinion that the Park Dept. should take care of it. They also inquired about land at Billerica Road and Turnpike Road which they thought would be ideal for use as park purposes but were informed that this triangle was probably privately owned.

Conference with Park Commission re: Flagpole repairs, & new areas.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was held on a petition of the NET&TCo. for permission to place underground approx. 1276 ft. of conduit along Acton Road, Bartlett St., Boston Road and Littleton Road. Mr. Jeremiah Casey of the utility company was present. No abutters were present to object. The petition, #466, dated 3/9/60, was then signed.

Hearing for underground conduit.

Then Daniel Coughlin, Atty., Mr. Joseph Corsetti and Atty. Charles McAulay appeared to ask the Selectmen's approval of sale of stock from Mike Zawinski of the Meadow Grille, Inc. to Richard and Joseph Corsetti. The Selectmen approved this changer of ownership. Later documents will follow regarding appointment of manager.

Request for transfer of stock for Meadow Grille. Transfer approved.

Petition for 2 Pole Locations, now to be jointly owned, on Washington St., C-8440, dated 3/31/60 by MEECo. and NET&TCo. signed by the Clerk. No hearing was required.

Pole Location petitio adopted.

Petition signed by Lawrence Coston and others complaining re: action by Arthur Pratt to be returned to the petitioners as Selectmen advised by their counsel, Mr. Fletcher, that each of the complaints are civil matters.

Inquiry re: drainage problem.

Joseph Lukas and Edward Baron were present to complain about condition of Pine Hill Road from bridge to property of Mr. Sheehan. The narrow road, drainage conditions, blind corners and need for signs cited. The Selectmen stated they would confer with the St. Supt., Mr. Greenwood, regarding the subject.

Complaint re: conditio of Pine Hill Road.

Petition for 1 Pole Location formerly a private way on Washington Street, C-8439, dated 3/31/60 by MEECo. and NET&TCo. signed by clerk. No hearing was required.

Petition for Pole Location adopted.

A conference was held with Board of Appeals members, Richard B. Carr, Willis Buckingham, Paul O'Neil and James Robinson. The Selectmen spoke of a recent hearing in which it was stated the Appeal Board heard illegally and even after calling the matter to the attention of members of the Appeal Board at the hearing, three members then voted to grant the variance. The Selectmen stated they failed to comprehend such procedure. It was finally stated that no application should ever be accepted without a printed notice of denial from the Bldg. Insp.

Conference with Board of Appeals Members re: recent hearing decisions.

The Industrial Development Commission members, Forrest E. Dupee, Albert E. Walker and Gerald J. Lannan, appeared and asked the Selectmen's approval of their plan to engage the services of a consultant, William G. Haseltine, to assist members in obtaining background information of areas available for development. It was stated that the monthly cost would be $150. for remuneration & $50. for expenses. The Selectmen approved the plan and a contract was presented to Town Counsel Vernon Fletcher for examination prior to signing. The commission also asked for permission to install various signs on routed highways giving public notice of the commission's work. Permission was granted.

Ind.Comm. req. approval of hiring of consultant.

Approval granted.

Request that Sts. in East Chelmsford be repaired.

Four persons from East Chelmsford and including Paul O'Neil who acted as spokesman, asked that repairs be made to Smith, Clancy and Stearns Sts. The matter to be taken up with the Street Supt. by Mr. Greenwood.

Request for St. Speed Limit Signs.

Letter from Mrs. Dorothy A. Morris reqesting speed control signs to be forwarded to St. Supt. Signs to read "Slow - Children" instead of setting speed limits.

Drainage problem off Graniteville Road discussed.

Four present from Graniteville Road area where they complained of a drainage problem in rear of their properties. After a long discussion, Atty. Fletcher, who was present, stated he thought that the problem was one between two land owners and the town could not enter upon private property to assist. It was decided to attempt a meeting between developer and property owners for next meeting.

Drainage problem on Sunrise Ave. discussed.

Another drainage problem was discussed when Mr. Tony Dimotto of Sunrise Ave. spoke of catch basins draining on private property. It was decided that the Board should visit area and then make recommendations.

Rep. from Truck Body Co. explains Packer Body.

A representative from the Blieler Co. spoke on the Packer Body for waste collections. No decision was made at this time regarding the purchase.

Special Police Officers Appointed.

On motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was unanimously voted to appoint Thomas W. Gallagher and Alfred Christianson as Special Police Officers for Road Construction work for 1 yr. without pay from town.

Request for Flagpole at West Chelms.

Letter from Eleanor Ricker regarding installation of flag pole at West Chelmsford common referred to the Park Dept. Commission.

No action on Police Sgt. appointment.

Civil Service papers for appointment of a Sergeant, and naming Leslie Adams, Jr. read and Mr. McAndrew felt no action should be taken until such time as there is a list with at least three names. Presently the list shows one name only and an examination should be conducted so that others in the department could attempt to qualify. Mr. Greenwood stated that such feelings should have been made known earlier; that an appointment is now needed for May 1st. Mr. George concurred. It was finally decided to have the Police Chief attend meeting to discuss this subject and to reveal his plans for duties of new sergeant and other personnel of the police department.

Selectmen vote to award contract for purchase of Line Marker for Highway Dept.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George it was voted to award the contract for the purchase of a Line Marker to the Municipal Sig. & Supply Co. for $820.00 plus cost of a bead dispenser.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Apr. 21, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George, & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Licenses Granted.

Licenses were granted to Chelmsford Drive-In, Inc. &/or Chelmsco., Inc., for theater on Littleton Road, Chelmsford as follows:

1.	Common Victualer's License	Fee: $5.00	Renewal.
2.	Sunday License	" 4.00	"
3.	Theater License	" 300.00	"

Licenses Granted.

A conference followed with Police Chief, Ralph J. Hulslander re:

1. Explanation for need for additional sergeant and the reason for request of appointment of Mr. Adams.
2. Mr. George stated he had heard that certain boys in Westlands area had been denied use of the Westlands School Playground. Chief Hulslander stated he had heard of new regulations and he offered to confer with the School Supt. to learn facts of case.
3. Damage to East School by vandals was discussed and the Chief stated he had alerted his department to see if further damage can be eliminated.
4. Letter from Mrs. Elton Silk with petition signed by residents of Acton Road complaining about parking on Acton Road and blocking of driveways by bolwling patrons. Signs were suggested but it was finally decided that the Selectmen & Chief would visit area.

Conference with Police Chief re new Sgt., School Playgrounds, Damage to East School & Parking Problem on Acton Road.

Letter from Cemetery Commissioners asking that steps be taken to take land by eminent domain proceedings for cemetery purposes referred to Town Counsel, per town meeting vote.

Cemetery Dept. request land be obtained for cemetery purposes.

Letter asking that two additional persons be named to Town Forest Committee tabled until votes at town meeting when original committee was authorized are checked.

Request to add two members to Town Forest Committee Tabled.

Hearing at 8:15 P.M. on petition of MEElec.Co. for 2 Joint Pole Locations and 3 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on Groton Rd. for highway construction, C-8422, dated 3/16/60. Terrence O'Rourke, an abutter, was present and after examining the plan he did not object. Petition then signed by all members.

Pole Location hearing.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint Martin K. Bovey, Myles J. Hogan, Dr. John Barry, Dr. Winslow E. Merrill and Robert Clough as members of the Mosquito Committee.

Mosquito Control Committee appointed.

It was decided that Mr. Robert F. McAndrew would serve as a member of the Town's Recreational Committee as the representative from the Board of Selectmen, as authorized by town meeting.

Mr. McAndrew to serve on Recreational Committee

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to authorize the observance of Poppy Day and for sale of poppies by the American Legion Auxiliary for May 20th and 21st, 1960.

Permission granted to sell Poppies.

Request that permission be granted to Paramount Lounge, Inc.for pledge of 50 shares of stock to the First Fed. Sav. & Loan Assn to be referred to the ABC for their approval

Request for pledging of stock to bank of Liquor Establishmt.

It was decided to meet with Registrars on Apr. 28th at 9:00 PM.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, and seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for purchase of a Packer Body for Waste Collections from the Bleiler Equip. Co. Inc. for $5,600.00 per bid received.

Contract awarded for Waste Collection Truck.

Police Sergeant Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, who stepped down from the chair, it was voted by the majority to appoint Leslie H. Adams, Jr. as Sergeant of the Police Dept. effective May 1, 1960. Mr. McAndrew did not vote on this motion.

Hearing conducted re: dog complaint.

Hearing re: Dog Nuisance.

At 8:30 P.M. a hearing was held on a Dog Complaint. A sworn statement had previously been made by Mr. Wayne Gray and on this complaint the hearing was held with Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, owners of the dog being present. The Dog Officer, Frank Wojtas, was also present. Complainants present included Eveline & Wayne Gray, Harriet Machon, Theophilus Machon, Sarah E. Smith and Edith Hainsworth. Mr. James Smith spoke first and described his dog and stated the dog was not a nuisance nor vicious. Then one by one the complaints spoke and their statements included facts relating to a man being bitten, dog is often on other's property, dog growls, shows teeth, etc. The complainants all stated they had not provoked the dog; that the dog comes onto their property and growls at them. Mr. Greenwood closed the hearing and the matter was taken under advisement. Then a conference followed with the Dog Officer and he stated he had been called to the neighborhood on various occasions. Then the Animal Inspector was called so that his report of a dogbite case might be known. The subject was tabled pending receipt of this latter report.

Board of Selectmen
by Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 28, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Licenses granted.

The following-named licenses were granted:

Auctioneer: (All renewals) Fee: $2.00 each.
1. Arthur Pratt 6 McFarlin Road, Chelmsford.
2. Eliot W. Remick 219 Westford St., "
3. Bradford O. Emerson 143 High Street, "
4. Theodore W. Emerson 11 North Road, "
5. William E. Riney 24 North Road, "

Bowling Alley (Renewals)
1. Charles F. Dinnigan, dba North Chelmsford Bowling Alley, 20 Vinal Sq. Six alleys. Fee: $30.00
2. Chelmsford Bowl-O-Rama, Inc., 9 Acton Road. 16 Alleys $80.00

Junk Collectors. (All renewals) Fees: $5.00 each.
1. Ernest Dureault, 198 Tyngsboro Road, North Chelmsford.
2. Edward R. Dixon, 24 Edgewood Road, Tewksbury, Mass.
3. Mel Gladstone, 737 Boston Road, Billerica, "
4. Giles L. Whitney, 567 Princeton Blvd., Lowell, "

Miniature Golf Course: (Renewal) $15.00 Fee.
1. Middlesex Miniature Golf, Inc., adj. to 185 Middlesex St., No.Chelmsfd.

Sunday Licenses: All renewals. Fees: $4.00 each.
1. Carl Ulriccson, dba Rusty's Sonoco Serv.Statn., 54 Chelmsford St.
2. Anthony & James Vasilopoulos, dba King Doughnut, 195 Princeton St.,
3. Chester Spaulding, 250 Westford St.
4. Chelmsford Bowl-O-Rama, Wm. Rodopoulos, Mgr., 9 Acton Road.
5. Anthony Privitera, dba Tony & Ann's, Tyngsboro Road.
6. John J. McEnaney, dba McEnaney's Mkt., 65 Middlesex St.
7. Thomas E. Firth, Jr. & Clifford E. Firth, dba Firth Farms, Gorham St. adj. to 105 Carlisle St.
8. Harold C. Hurst, dba Harold's Socony Station, 112 Tyngsboro Road,

9. Louis Thamer, dba Chelmsford Pharmacy, 8 Fletcher St.
10. Raymond E. Secor, dba Secor's Mkt., 75 Middlesex St.
11. Charles (Mrs.) Ballos, dba Ballos Diner, 17-19 Vinal Sq.
12. George Marchand, Jr., 321 Acton Road,
13. C. Richmond Page, dba Page's Drug Store, 35 Central Sq.
14. Edward Lloyd, dba Nan's Coffee Shop, 9 Fletcher St.
15. Eleftherios Liakos, dba P&J Serv. Station, 133 Princeton St.
16. Orman W. Leland, dba Westland Motors, 293 Chelmsford St.
17. Lorraine Lachut, dba Vinal Sq. Variety, 1 Groton Road.
18. John Kydd & Sons, Inc., 116 Chelmsford St.
19. William F. Grogan, dba Bill's Food Store, 175 Dalton Road.
20. Frost & Co., Druggists, Vinal Sq.
21 Nicholas Emanouil, dba Nick's Texaco, 8 Littleton Road.
22. George Cummings, dba Cummings' Atlantic, 188 Princeton St.
23. Charles J. Connor & John L. Fish, dba Triangle Store & Serv.Statn., 148 Groton Road.
24. A. S. Bentas, dba The Wishbone, Concord Road,
25. Mrs. Theodore P. Chianis, dba Ted's Market, 273 Chelmsford St.
26. George Brown, dba Alpine Service Center, 89 Chelmsford St.
27. George Swallow, et al., dba A-Ba-Co., Inc., 66 Middlesex St.
28. Wilfred Pare, dba Pare's Grocery, 114 Gorham St.
29. Lulack M. Jamros, Groton Road,
30. William Vaipan, dba Bill & Andy's, 30 Chelmsford St.
31. Frank W. & Susan E. dba Chelmsford Trailer Park, Inc., 270 Littleton Road.
32. Fred Fantozzi, dba Fred's Gulf Service, 1-9 Princeton St.
33. Mrs. Nelson's Candy House, 292 Chelmsford St.
34. Joseph A. Thiffault, dba Art's Filling Station, 206 Boston Road.
35. Middlesex Miniature Golf, Inc., adj. to 185 Middlesex St.,No.Chelmsford.
36. Fred L. Gefteas, dba Skip's Diner, 116 Chelmsford St.
37. Roland Boucher, dba Dairy Queen, 110 Tyngsboro Road.
38. Allan H. and Leona M. Adams, 10 Vinal Sq.
39. Robert A. Capella, 108 Concord Road.
40. John B. Wrigley, Central Sq.
41. John B. Wrigley, North Road,
42. John B. Wrigley, Varney Playground.
43. Ella M. Strick, 173 Chelmsford St.

Licenses Granted.

Motor Vehicle Junk License, Class III, Fee $15.00

1. Farley H. Kemp, dba Chelmsford Auto Parts, Sleeper St., No.Chelmsford.

Mr. David Kahan was present and he called the Board's attention to drainage problems along North Road, near Colonial Drive where he resides. It was decided to inspect the area with the St. Supt. to decide on corrective steps to be taken.

North Road drainage problem discussed.

Letter from ABC stating they do not require theybe notified on a pledge of stock to a bank for loan purposes by a liquor establishment. It was then decided to notifty the attorney, Judge John H. Valentine, for the Paramount Lounge, Inc. that the Selectmen did approve the pledge of stock to First Federal Savings & Loan of Lowell.

Pledge of Stock of Paramount Lounge Approved.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint Ralph J. Hulslander, Jr. as a Special Police Officer for Road Construction Work, for 1 year, without pay from the town.

Special Police Officer Appointed.

It was decided to meet with the Recreational Committee on May 12th, 1960 at 8:30 P.M. and notice to be sent to Rev. Philip Larson and he to be requested to notify Messrs. Weeks, Currie and Hedrick.

Conference to be held with Recreational Committee.

Bid for Aerial Spray read and recommendations apprvd.

Bid for Aerial Spray from Marshfield Airways for $5,308.00 and optional features of $880.00, read and it was decided to notify Myles J. Hogan that the Selectmen approve the bid and his recommednations & ask him to so notify the company of award of the contract.

Survey to be made by Town Forest Committee.

Approval was granted to the Town Forest Committee for survey work around permiter of Concord Road tract, as recommended by the committee, and expenses to be bourne by the Selectmen.

Town Forest Committee asks for more members.

It was decided to notify the Town Forest Committee also that the number of members must remain at three, as years ago the voters at a town meeting approved a three-member commission. Advisory members may be appointed without authority to vote.

Annual Appointments

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint:

			Term expires:
Board of Appeals	Regular Member:	Willis E. Buckingham	3/1965.
" " "	Alternate Member:	James O. Robinson	3/1961.
" " "	" "	Eliot W. Remick	3/1961.
Board of Registrars	Member:	Dorothy G. Borrows	3/1963.

Pole Location petitions and conduit petition and hearings conducted.

The following mentioned hearings were held:

1. At 8:15 PM. for 1 Joint Pole Location & 1 Joint Pole Location abandonment on Boston Road, C-8419, dated 3/15/60 for additional load needs.. No abutters were present to object. Petition signed by all members.
2. At 8:30 P.M. for 1 Pole Location & 1 Pole Location Abandonment on Groton Road, #470, dated 4/6/60, by NET&TCo. Abutters present included Joseph Chancey, Frank A. Gillies, Guy C. and Ella M. Peverill. Mr. Casey of the utility company explained the petition. There were no objections and the petition was signed by all members.
3. At 8:35 P.M. for approx. 355 ft. of underground conduit along Groton Road, for highway construction, by NET&TCo., #469, dtd. 4/6/60. Those present included Joseph Chancey, Guy C. & Ella M. Peverill, Frank A. Gillies. Mr. Casey explained details about the petition. There were no objections. Petition was then signed by all members.
4. At 8:40 P M. on 10 Pole Locations & 14 Pole Location Abandonments on Groton Rd, C-8423, dated 3/16/60, by MEECo. for highway construction. Abutters present included Frederick E. & Ivy M. Shugrue, Guy C. & Ella M. Peverill, Frank A. Gillies, Joseph Chancey, Vernon G. Stevens, Homer C. St.Peter, John M. Ward, Terrence O'Rourke and Francis J. Erwih. Mr. Radcliffe of the utility Co. explained all details. After a long conference with abutters, it was stated there were no objections and petition was signed by all members.

Northgate Rd. Zoning complaint discussed.

Messrs. Evans & Peterson of Northgate Road area were present to inquire about alleged zoning violation as a rental of clothing business was in operation. It was stated that the Town Counsel & Bldg. Inspector had checked matter and there might be a question about the rental business but otherwise there appeared to be no violation. The rental business violation to be checked further.

Registrars confer with Selectmen re: redistricting.

Board of Registrars, John J. Carr, Edw. T. Brick & Dorothy G. Borrows were present to discuss the redistricting and that more changes might be necessary. Charlotte DeWolf, Town Clerk, was also present to discuss this subject.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 5, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, & Mr. McAndrew were present. Mr. George was unable to attend.

Pole Location Abandonment Petition signed.

Petition for 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Groton Road C-8451, dated 4/12/60 by NET&TCo. and MEElec. Co. signed by both members. No hearing was required.

Request for change of locations of St. Lights.

Letter from the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. offering their recommendations as to changes in locations of street lights on Groton Road, to be checked by the Selectmen prior to the preparation of letter of authorization.

Inquiry re: Zoning Violation on Northgate Road.

The Messrs. Evans of Northgate Road were present to inquire about the zoning complaint previously made. Mr. Greenwood informed the men that the Bldg. Insp. and Town Counsel both thought that there was no violation on rental of clothing if the clothing was made by a dressmaker on the premises. It was stated that it was the belief of some that so many gowns could not possibly have been made. On the basis of this information it was decided to further investigate the complaint.

Special Police Officers Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted by the majority to appoint two Special Police Officers for Road Construction Duty for 1 year without pay from town as follows:

1. Ernest N. Nichols, 44 Randall St.
2. Harold J. Pierce, Jr., 87 Dalton Road.

Complaint re: Zoning Violation on Pearson Street.

An anonymous letter calling the board's attention to the operation of a painting business on Pearson Street, by a Mr. Flanagan in his garage which might be a zoning violation, referred to the Bldg. Insp., Mr. Demers, for investigation.

Licenses Granted.

The following-listed licenses were granted:

Sunday Both renewals; Fees: $4.00 each.

1. Sam Abdallah, dba North Road Garage, 374 North Rd.
2. Timothy Emanouil, dba Emanouil Bros., Route, 110

Memorial Day Committee Members appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted by the majority present to appoint the three following-named members of Post 366, American Legion to serve as members of the Memorial Day Committee, Terms to expire: 3/1961.

1. Arthur E. Morrell, 26 Manning Road.
2. Richard P. Delmore, 14 " "
3. Vincent J. McCann, 15 Carleton Avenue.

Request for telephone at North Dump.

Mr. Isadore Needham was present to request that a telephone be installed at the North Chelmsford Dump so that he might be able to notify the Fire Dept. of emergencies when dump fires commence. The Selectmen stated they would investigate the matter.

Complaint re: truck spillage

Mr. Richard Wholey was present to complain about trucks owned by Mr. Buxton which spill gravel and trash along the roads and that the condition has continued for quite a period of time. Mr. Greenwood stated he would confer with the Town Counsel on the subject to determine if the town can act to alleviate the difficulties.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 12, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Juror drawn.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf, Mr. McAndrew drew the name of Albert J. Cicco, 5 Pleasant Street, Chelmsford, as a juror for service at East Cambridge.

Garden Club Members ask that curbing be installed at two locations.

Mrs. William Phair and Mrs. Archie MacElroy, representing the Garden Club, were present to ask that the town install curbing around triangular areas at Dalton Road & North Road and Davis Road and North Road, where beautification projects will be undertaken by the club. Immediate approval was given by the Selectmen for the Davis Road-North Road triangle but the area at Dalton Road will not be changed until the town can learn what the state plans for Route 110 approaches. Mr. Greenwood stated he would talk with the St. Supt. about the subject and ask that work and inquiry be commenced.

Request that permission be granted to purchase materials for Police Assn. Bldg. improvemts.

Sgt. Basil Larkin and Mr. Richard Wholey were present to ask that the town purchase some materials for improvement of the old highway garage for police relief assn. purposes. Approval was given for purchase of building blocks and other misc. items.

Inquiry re: status of Northgate Rd zoning complaint.

Messrs. Evans, Peterson and Raney from Northgate Road were present about the zoning complaint in their neighborhood. Mr. Greenwood reported to previous inquires and he stated that a further and more comprehensive investigation will follow by the Bldg. Inspector and Town Counsel as it would appear there might be a violation due to operation of an extensive rental business.

Selectmen sign various legal documents.

Town Counsel requested to study two zoning cases.

Atty. Vernon R. Fletcher, Town Counsel was present re:
1. Order of Taking for Cemetery Land signed by Selectmen,
2. Confirmatory Deed on Burbeck Land signed by Selectmen,
3. Release and Apportionment of award for State Land Taking signed by the Selectmen.

Mr. Fletcher was requested to study; and report back re:
1. Pearson Trailer Case,
2. Spaulding Zoning Case.

Conference with Town Recreational Committee Members.

Rev. Philip Larson and seven representatives of the Recreational Committee met with the Selectmen and written outlines of objectives and list of interested persons, presented to the Selectmen. Rev. Larson acted as spokesman and he asked the support of the Selectmen. Recreational programs and the need of additional members was discussed and it was decided that more members will be added and appointed at a forthcoming meeting.

Request for permission to move bldgs. granted.

The Recording Clerk was requested to prepare a letter of authorization for removal of bldgs. by the Blidon Co., Inc. A performance bond of $5,000. to be given to the town prior to issuance of the letter.

Pole Reloctn petition signed.

Petition for 1 Joint Pole Re-Location on Turnpike Road, #471, dated 5/9/60 by NET&TCo. signed by the Clerk, no hearing necessary.

On motions by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint the following-named persons as Memorial Day Committee Members, all terms to expire: 3/1961:

Representatives from Post 212:
1. John N. Leonard, 12 Putnam Avenue, Chelmsford.
2. C. Norman LaRock, 38 First Street, "
3. Andrew Serptowski, 15 Bellevue St., Lowell.

Representatives from Post 313:
1. B. C. Smith, 344 North Road, North Chelmsford.
2. Carl F. Reedy, 356 " " "
3. Leo A. Verville, 31 Willis Drive, "

Memorial Day Committee Members Appointed.

It was decided to advertise notices of application for Wine & Malt Beverages, Common Victualer by George's Pizza Italian Gardens.

Temporary Wine & Beer License Granted.

Wine & Malt Beverages Temporary License for June 11, 1960 granted to the South Chelmsford Gun & Rod Club. Fee: $0.50

Application for Common Victualer Wine & Malt License to be advertised.

Notice of court action on suit of Walter R. Wilkins, vs Town of Chelmsford for $20,000. received from Town Clerk & to be placed on file.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint John F. Fantozzi, as a Special Police Officer for Road Construction for 1 yr. without pay from the town.

Special Police Officer Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously that written notice should be forwarded to Mr. & Mrs. James Smith, 86 Swain Road, informing them that a dog owned by them shall be restrained at all times.

Notice to restrain dog to be mailed.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 19, 1960.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

Mr. John Carruthers, Custodian & Janitor of Center Town Hall was present to ask that Selectmen decide whether to send all venitian blinds out for cleaning. He stated that he had been quoted a cost of $130.00 for cleaning and $10.00 for new tapes where needed. The Selectmen stated they would decide at a later date whether the work shall be done.

Request re: town hall cleaning & repairing of blinds.

Two petitions were then signed by the clerk after adoption by the Board. In both cases no hearing was required:
1. For 6 Joint Pole Locations on Oak St. and 3 Joint Pole Locations on Concord Road, C-8457, dated 4/25/60, from the MEECo. to MEECo. and NET&TCo.
2. For 1 Joint Re-location on Chelmsford St., C-8464, dated 4/29/60 by MEEco. and NET&TCo.

Pole Petitions adopted by Selectmen

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to permit the sale of poppies by A. W. Vinal Post 313 Auxiliary for May 26th and 27th, 1960, per written request received.

Permission granted to Legion Aux. for sale of poppies.

Pole Location Petition Hearing.

At 9:00 P.M. a hearing was conducted on the petition of the MEECo. and NET&TC. for 7 Joint Pole Locations and 9 Joint Pole Locations on Main St., C-8448, dated 4/12/60. Two abutters were present and asked various questions which the Selectmen were unable to answer. It was decided to postpone the continuance of this hearing until 5/26/60 at 8:00 P.M. at which time Mr. Radcliffe of the utility company would be invited to attend and answer the various pertinent questions.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted to adopt a resolution as presented by WCAP. Such resolution follows:

Rsolution re: WCAP request for increase in power approved.

> "VOTED: That the following resolution be adopted: Whereas Radio Sation WCAP, Lowell, Mass. has pending before the Federal Communications Commission an application to increase its power from 1000 watts to 5000 watts; and whereas the Town of Chelmsford is growing rapidly having increased in population from 9407in 1950 to 14,200 in 1959 and new business and industry has come to Chelmsford since 1950 and whereas an increase in power of WCAP would permit it to be heard more clearly in Chelmsford and whereas Chelmsford and its citizens listen to WCAP for news and features affecting our area as well as for entertainment. Now, therefore, be it resolved that the Selectmen favor a grant of WCAP's application for an increase in power to 5000 watts, and that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to Radio Station WCAP for use by it in presenting its case to the Federal Communications commission in support of its request for an increase of power to 5000 watts.

Inquiry re: Northgate Rd. zoning violation.

Four property owners from the Northgate Road area were present regarding the status of the zoning violation of a rental of clothing business and Mr. Greenwood stated that information had been obtained which revealed a zoning violation and the Bldg. Insp. would be notified to order the operators to cease conducting the business.

Inquiry re: Zoning Violation near Buxton property.

Messrs. Wholey and Sunquist were present regarding zoning violation of fill removal, etc. and stated that all details of this violation had been sent to the Town Counsel for his study.

Names of prospective jurors selected.

Then the Selectmen devoted the remainder of the evening to the preparation of a jury list.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 26, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, and Mr. McAndrew were present. Mr. George was unable to attend.

Inquiry re: Street Acceptance procedure.

Mr. Elwin McMaster was present to inquire about procedure for acceptance of a street. He was interested in acceptance of Hildreth St. He was given a copy of specifications so that engineering plans can be prepared.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, and seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to grant a permit for the operation of a carnival by the American Legion Post 212, from June 6th to June 11th, 1960 in rear of 92 Chelmsford St. on land owned by Bradford Emerson. Fee: None.

Permit Granted for Legion Carnival.

The continuation of a public hearing for 7 Joint Pole Locations and 9 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on Main St., C-8448, dated 4/12/60 by MEECo. and NET&TCo. for road construction. Was held and Mr. Ratcliffe of the MEECo. was present. Harry & Gloria Leedberg were present. Mrs. Clara A. Vennard who attended hearing one week ago did not re-appear. After a long discussion the abutters agreed not to object and the petition was signed.

Pole Location Hearing.

Hearing scheduled for 8:15 P.M. on petiton of one pole location on Tyngsboro Road for Worcester County Elec. Co. postponed until June 2nd when more information will be available. No abutters were present.

Pole Location Hearing.

It was decided that letter should be prepared for street light transfers on Main St. per suggestions made by the MEECo.

Authorization for St. Light Transfers Approved.

Eustace B. Fiske was present regarding the cost and coverages of Firemens' Accident Policy renewal. He was requested to send information in writing before any decision would be made.

Conference re: Firemens Accid. Insurance.

Town Counsel, Vernon R. Fletcher, was present to request that Selectmen sign three orders of land taking, all for school purposes and specifically the Sousa, Wright and LaHaise land.

Land Taking Documents signed.

On a motions by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint

1. Roger R. Clermont, 34 Fifth Ave. as an Auxiliary Police Officer.
2. Martin D. Enis, 59 Newfield St., as a Special Police Officer for 1 year, without pay from town, for road construction.

Police Officers Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted by the majority to approve the recommendation of the Chief of Police, Ralph J. Hulslander, that the Badge #10, worn by Officer Winslow P. George, who died on the afternoon of May 25, 1960, while performing his official duties, and worn so faithfully and proudly for so many years by Officer George, be retired and not issued to any police officer in the future and that this commendation be incorporated in the minutes of the Selectmen's Records.

Police Badge #10 not to be reissued, in Honor of Winslow P. George.

Petition for 1 Pole Relocation on Billerica Road, C-8474, dated 5/11/60 by MEECo. and NET&TCo. was adopted by the board and signed by the clerk

Pole Re-Location Petition signed.

A requisition was signed to be sent to Civil Service for the issuance of a list for appointment of a Patrolman to fill the vacancy in the Police Dept. caused by the passing of Officer Winslow P. George.

Requisition for Civil Serv. List for Patrolman.

Inquiry re:
zoning
violation.

Seven persons from the Northgate Road area were present to inquire status of zoning violation case and Mr. Greenwood stated that the Bldg. Inspector had issued a notice that all operations of a gown-rental business must cease. Mr. Greenwood stated that if the business does not cease, the town will obtain evidence to prosecute. The Town Counsel, Vernon R. Fletcher, was present at this conference. The length of time, Mr. Greenwood stated, between acts of further violation and time of prosecution will depend entirely on how long it takes to obtain accurate evidence to further the town's case..

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, June 2, 1960.

Members
present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. George were present.

License
Granted.

Temporary Wine and Malt Beverage License for Lowell Sportsmen's Club, on Swain Road, for June 12 or June 19, 1960 granted. Fee: $0.50.

Applications
To Peddle
Signed.

Applications to Peddle were signed for:
1. Ronald Cameron Yates, 5 B Street,
2. Francis T. Burns 351 Boston Road,

Notice from
Town Counsel
that Town not
liable for
Automobile
Damage.

Letter from the Town Counsel, Vernon R. Fletcher, read in which he gave notice that town would not be liable for alleged damage to car owned by James J. Fox, of 10 Columbus Avenue, East Chelmsford, in amount of $15.00 and the Selectmen requested the Recording Clerk to so notify the claimant.

Vote not to
grant a Wine
& Beer License.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to not grant a Wine and Malt Beverage, Common Victualer License to Charles Senia at 193 Princeton St. Adv. Costs to be billed to applicant: $12.25.

Inquiry re:
Street Lights
and Street
Acceptances.

Messrs Hope and Young of the new Campanella Development area off Concord Road, were present to inquire about installation of needed street lights. They were informed that the streets would first have to be accepted by the town. They were given a copy of street specifications and it was suggested that this information be given to the developer so that streets could be accepted at next annual town meeting..

Legal Statement
re: Case of
Walter R.
Wilkins, vs
Town of
Chelmsford.

Atty. Warren Allgrove present regarding the legal case of Walter R. Wilkins vs Town of Chelmsford and he presented actual figures for the court case, copy of which to be placed on file in Selectmen's Dept..

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, June 9, 1960.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. George were present.

Members present.

Mr. Ridlon of the MEECo. was present to discuss various matters pertaining to town street lights. He stated that the town if officially notified on street light transfers or discontinuances and such information is reflected on the monthly bills. He stated that there may be weekly patrols to replace bulbs that had been broken or burned out. Later there will be available a 7,000 lumen light costing $55.00 annually and he suggested they be installed instead of the 6,000 lumen lights that have been ordered in the past. Also he stated that commencing June 15th the rate for the 1,000 lumen lights will increase from $18.00 to $25.00 per year. The increase had been approved by the DPU after hearing and could be effective during April 1960 but Mr. Ridlon stated he did not wish to increase any rates until first conferring with the Selectmen.

Conference with MEECo representative re: Street Light Costs. etc.

A hearing was held at 8:15 P.M. on the petition of the MEECo. and NET&TCo. for 6 Joint Pole Locations on Graniteville Road, to serve Edward Gagnon, C-8406, dated 3/7/60. No abutters were present and the petition was signed by all members.

Pole Location Hearing.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to grant a permit for the conducting of a carnival by the Chelmsford Kiwanis Club for June 20th, to June 25h, 1960 at the McFarlin School playground. Fee waived. The Selectmen stipulated that there shall be no money wheels and that the Police Chief be so notified.

Selectmen vote to grant a Carnival License

The following-described pole location petitions were signed. In each case, no hearings were required:

1. For removal of two pole locations on Groton Road, C-8491, dated 6/1/60 by MEECo. Petition adopted by Board & signed by the clerk.
2. For four pole re-locations on Groton Road, C-8490, dated 6/1/60, by MEECo. Petition adopted by Board and signed by all members.

Pole Location Petitions adopted.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint Donald B. Latham, 38, Boston Road, Chelmsford as a Special Police Officer for Road Construction for 1 year, without pay from the town.

Special Police Officer Appointed.

It was decided to start summer schedule of meetings commencing June 9th. Next meeting to be conducted on June 23, 1960.

The Selectmen then examined registrars records for the selection of prospective jurors.

Selection of Jurors.

It was decided to open Sealed Bids for the enlargement of the Assessors' Office and for changing of rear entrance on June 23, 1960 at 8:30 P.M.

Bids to be called for improvemts at Center Town Hall.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

On June 22, 1960 the Recording Clerk was notified that Wendell D. Luke, Jr. 36 School St., West Chelmsford, Mass. had been appointed a Special Police Officer for 1 year for Road Construction Work..

Special Police Officer Appointed.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, June 23, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, and Mr. George were present.
Mr. McAndrew was unable to be present.

Pole Location Petitions Signed.

Petitions for Pole Locations, which required no hearing, only adoption by the Board and signed by the clerk, are described as follows:

1. For 1 Pole Re-location on Mill Road, C-8485, dated 5/27/60 by MEECo. and NET&TCo.
2. For 1 Pole Location Transfer of Ownership on Groton Road, from MEECo. to NET&TCo., C-8486, dated 6/1/60.

The following described petitions relate to poles located formerly on private ways and no on public ways:.

1. 1 Pole Location on Bisson St., C-8511, dated 6/11/60 by MEECo.
2. 9 Pole Locations on Chestnut Road, 2 Pole Locations on Spruce St. and 15 Pole Locations on Walnut Road, C-8476, dated 6/1/60 by MEECo. and NET&TCo.
3. 3 Pole Locations on Lancaster Avenue, 8 Pole Locations on Lauderdale Road, 4 Pole Locations on Marose Avenue, 2 Pole Locations on McFarlin Road and 5 Pole Locations on Murray Hill Road, C-8493, dated 6/1/60 by MEECo. and NET&TCo.
4. 5 Pole Locations on Pearson St. and 9 Pole Locations on Sycamore St., C-8494, dated 6/1/60 by MEECo. and NET&TCo.
5. 11 Pole Locations on Harold St., 2 Pole Locations on Hickory Lane and 15 Pole Locations on Kensington Drive, C-8488, dated 6/1/60 by MEECo. and NET&TCo..
6. 5 Pole Locations on Arbutus Avenue, 5 Pole Locations on Balsam Drive, 5 Pole Locations on Colonial Terrace, 3 Pole Locations on Beech St., 4 Pole Locations on Edgelawn Ave. and 11 Pole Locations on Gail St., C-8487, dated 6/1/60 by MEECo. and NET&TCo.

Permit granted for Carnival.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted to grant permission for conducting of a carnival at the McFarlin School Playground from Aug. 1 to Aug. 6, by the John Morrison, Council #4231, Knights of Columbus. Fee Waived.. Notice to state that no money wheels to be allowed in operation or located on the premises.

Pole Location petition hearing.

A hearing was conducted at 8:15 P.M. on the petition of the MEECo. and NET&TCo. for 5 Joint Pole Locations on Crooked Spring Road, C-8480, dated 5/20/60. No abutters were present. Petition was signed by all members..

Complaint re: nuisance at Crystal Lake Shores.

Messrs. William F. and William E. O'Brien, James Kasalowski and Roland Cossette were present to complain about the night-time gatherings on shores of Crystal Lake which have become very objectionable. Mr. Greenwood stated that the Selectmen will confer with the Police Dept. and with land owner to take steps to control tresspassers.

Bids opened for improvements at Center Town Hall.

Sealed Bids for the enlargement of the Assessors Office and for installation of a new rear entrance to the Center Town Hall were opened at 8:30 P.M. Both bidders were present. Bids follow:

1.	Edward A. Carlson, 19 Highland Ave., No.Chel.	$1,635.00
2.	William P. O'Neil, 327 Billerica Rd., Chel.	2,151.00

It was decided to take the bids under advisement..

Myles J. Hogan, Moth Supt. conferred with the Selectmen regarding the water problems at development of Roberts Homes, Inc. which contribute to mosquito nuisances. Petitions were also read and it was decided that the Selectmen should visit the area in question to decide on steps to correct the problem..

Moth Supt confers with Selectmen re: water problem.

John A. Hudson of the MEECo. was present to discuss the street light plan for Chelmsford St. where new Route 110 crosses. The Selectmen decided that it would be best to visit area during night-time hours before making their recommendations..

MEECo. representatie present re: street lights

The Selectmen conferred with the Insurance Advisory Committee Members, Roger P. Welch, Henrick F. Johnson, and Eustace B. Fiske. A discussion regarding account balances and the renewal of the Firemen's Accident Policy followed.

Conference with Ins. Advisory Committee.

Civil Service appointment papers were signed by the Chairman for appointment of five Permanent Intermittent Patrolmen at rate of $2.00 per hour, as follows:

1.	John B. Sousa	115 Gorham St.
2.	Pennryn D. Fitts,	41 Littleton Road,
3.	Ronald E. Leach	47 Dunstable Road,
4.	William L. Reid,	38 Bridge Street,
5.	Frank Baran, Jr.	139 Dalton Road.

Special Police Officers appointed.

Formal Acceptance of Order Granted to MEECo. dated 7/13/59 read and to be sent to the Town Clerk.

Pole Order for MEECo. formally accepted.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

On or about June 25, 1960 the Selectmen approved contranct for improvements at the Center Town Hall to Edward A. Carlson, the low bidder, per bid rec'd. in the amount of $1,635.00 Contract will be awarded at next meeting.

Contract approved for C T Hall improvemts.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, July 7, 1960.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, and Mr. George were present. Mr. McAndrew was unable to attend.

Members present.

The following described petitions for pole location changes required no hearing and were signed by the clerk:

1. 1 Pole Re-Location on Billerica Road, C-8506, dated 6/10/60 by MEECo. and NET&TCo. for reconstruction.
2. 3 Pole Locations on Bisson St., 1 Pole Location on Fletcher St. and 6 Pole Locations on Summit Avenue, all formerly private ways, C-8510, dated 6/15/60 by MEECo. and NET&TCo.

Pole Location Petitions Adopted.

A Auto Dealer's License, Class II was granted to Edward J. Duffy dba at Duffy's Auto Body on Tyngsboro Road, near Sleeper St., on a motion by Mr. George and seconded by Mr. Greenwood. Fee $15.00

Class II Auto Dealer's License granted.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted to award the contract for improvements at the Center Town Hall to Edward A. Carlson for the sum of $1,635.00 per bid received.

Contract awarded for CTH impvmts

Pole Locatn. Petition Adopted.

Petition for 1 Pole Location Abandonment on Worthen Street, to correct records, C-8509, dated 6/15/60 by NET&TCo. and MEECo. signed by all members. No hearing was required.

Westford Selectmen ask that Groton Road be improved.

Letter from the Selectmen of the Town of Westford asking that improvements in the condition of Groton Road by made, read and suitable reply to be prepared stating that the Selectmen have already conferred with the State Engineer as to the need for repairs.

Request that bond for Abbott Lane be released. Selectmen did not approve such a release.

Letter asking that a bond for development at Abbott Lane be released, read and it was decided that a letter should be sent to the Planning Board asking that drainage improvements be made at the corner of this new street and Westford St. before the bond isreleased. Otherwise the town will be obliged to go to additional expense to correct a problem made by a developer.

Selectmen ask the DPW to review traffic safety conditions at Vinal Sq.

It was decided that a letter should be sent to the DPW, Traffic Division, asking that a study be made to improve safety conditions at the pedestrian traffic lights at Vinal Sq., particularly since a recent serious accident.

Conference re: Insurance bills.

Mr. J. Hennessy was present to explain the need for further funds for Auto Compulsory Liability and Property Damage additions, due to new purchases of equipment since Town Meeting. A request, it was decided, should be sent to the Finance Committee for the needed funds.

Board of Selectmen
by CHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, July 21, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew & Mr. George present.

Revenue Loan Orders Signed & Juror Drawn

The Town Clerk, Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf, was present and various documents were signed relating to anticipation of revenue loan by Town Treasurer. Then one juror was drawn by the Chairman. Name drawn was N. Kenneth Evans, 9 Waverly Ave., General Contractor.

License Granted.

A Sunday License was granted to John B. Wrigley for location at Baptist or Heart Pond. Fee: $4.00.

Complaints received re: Hauling of fill during early am hrs.

Mr. Greenwood called the members' attention to the fact that he had received numerous complaints regarding the tentative plans of the Campenelli & Cardi Co., that they would haul fill, etc. during evening and early morning hours across Turnpike and Billerica Roads to construction area where new highway is being built. It was decided to investigate the matter and to request advice from the town counsel.

Complaint re condition of Harold St. & spillage for trucks.

Mr. Joseph Costa was present to state that condition of Harold St. and spillage of fill, etc. by road construction company was a detriment to the neighborhood and the conditions should be stopped. The Selectmen stated they would refer the matter to the St. Supt.

Request that Town not use land on Harold St. for Recreational purposes.

Mr. Lawrence Grant of 15 Harold St. was present and gave the Selectmen a petition signed by a majority of residents in the neighborhood stating they opposed the use of land on Harold St. offered to the town for recreational purposes. Mr. Grant stated the residents desired to keep the area quiet and for residental purposes. The petition was given to Mr. Robert McAndrew, he being a member of the Town Recreational Committee. Mr. McAndrew stated they request and petition would be carefully studied at a future meeting of the Recreational Committee.

Discussion re: Land for Recreational Committee.

Petition of the MEECo. and NET&TCo. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Chelmsford Street, to change to joint ownership, C-8518, dated 6/27/60 signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Pole Location petition adopted.

Letter from Atty. Novick of Lowell stating he represents James F. Smith, of 86 Swain Road, North Chelmsford, in his complaint and claim for damages to his property regarding drainage, etc. to be referred to the Town Counsel.

Notice of retention of legal counsel re: drainage damages.

It was decided to meet with Col. Jack Dunn and/or his liaison officers regarding the civil affairs project planned for Aug. 18th., on Monday, Aug. 15th at 10:00 A.M.

Conference to be held re: Civil Affairs Project of US Army.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by mr. George, it was voted unaniously to award the contract for the purchase & repairs of linoleum for Assessors Office for $134.50, per written quotation received.

Award of contract for floor covering at Assessors Office.

Petition received from residents living near the Town Sand Bank, stating fence had been damaged, and was no a threat to neighborhood children read and it was stated that a new fence had been installed.

Request for fence repairs in rear of sand bank.

Board of Selectmen
by ArtCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, July 28, 1960.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. George were present.

Members present.

Mr. Stuart Sargent of Kensington Drive appeared before the Selectmen and inquired about three separate subjects:

1. He inquired about the Road Construction Co. night trucking and was told that they may truck until 8:00 P.M. only.

   Inquiry re: Night Trucking.

2. He stated that he and other residents of his neighborhood did not approve the use of land in the area for recreational purposes. He was told that the matter would be studied by the Recreational Committee and undoubtedly such a project would not be forced onto the majority of residents that disapproved it.

   Objection to recreational area

3. He called attention to the blind corner at Mill & Turnpike Roads and the Selectmen stated they were aware ofn the problem and hoped to correct the problem very soon.

   Danger of blind corner.

Mr. Thomas Sugden was present regarding the drainage line in rear of lots along Graniteville Road. He showed a plan of the area and informed the Selectmen that the town did have drainage line easements for correcting the problem

Drainage Problem off Graniteville Road discussed.

which now exists. Mr. Sugden stated that he would soon appear before the Planning Board regarding lots he hoped to build on on Berkshire Road and the drainage problem should be settled. The Selectmen stated they would confer with the Highway Dept. about the matter.

Pole Location Hearing.

A hearing was conducted at 8:15 P.M. on the petition of the MEECo. and NET&TCo. for 1 Joint Pole Location & 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Fay Street, C-8500, dated 6/6/60. No persons were present at the hearing and the petition was signed by all members.

Discussion re: Night trucking.

Mr. Tom Azack of the Campanelli & Cardi Co. was present to ask that the company be allowed to transport fill until 9:00 P.M. instead of the 8:00 P.M. shutdown. It was decided not to make any change for the present but to consult with the bearer of a petition protesting night hauling and request the bearer to obtain a consensus of opinion of signers to determine if they would object to the additional hour. A final decision will be made at a later date.

Letters re: sppeding & need of slow signs.

Two letters were received regarding speeding, etc. on Westford Road and Evergreen St., from Mr. E. R. Gibbs and Mrs. Charles H. True and asking that speed limit signs be installed. Both requests to be investigated and studied.

Special Police Officer Appointed.

It was decided to appoint Bernard J. Sullivan, 26 Westland Ave., Chelmsford as a Special Police Officer for Road Construction work without pay from the town.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Aug. 18, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Jurors Drawn.

The Town Clerk, Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf, was present and the following-named jurors were drawn:
1. By Mr. Greenwood: Mrs. Marilyn D. Lovering, 70 Billerica Rd.
2. By Mr. George: Mr. Maurice W. Harrison, 5 Latch Road.
3. By Mr. McAndrew: Mr. George Shallah, 86 Crooked Spring Rd.

Employees Outing.

Plans for the Town Employees Outing for Aug. 22nd were approved.

Inquiry re: land for recreation.

Mr. Lawrence Grant of Harold Street, was present to show plan of area near proposed recreational land and stated that all nearby residents opposed the use of this lot of land for this purpose. He requested that the Selectmen and Recreational Committee not approve acceptance of this land.

Various residents oppose long hours of heavy trucking.

Six persons were present to protest the heavy trucking by Campanelli & Cardi from 6:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M., stating there was danger to neighborhood children, the noise was constant and there was much dust. They asked that the trucks be not allowed to operate after 8:00 P.M. and that the residents should receive consideration from the nuisance and possible dangers. They asked that an eight-hour day be placed in effect; that a fence be installed for protection of children. They also stated that the trucks travelled at excessive speeds. The Selectmen stated they would consider all these requests.

Messrs. Robert F. McAdam, Robert T. Charlton and Harry E. Palmer, Jr. were present regarding the need for repairing and resurfacing of Southgate Road. After a long discussion it was decided that the Selectmen would confer with the Street Supt. about the work. Also the discussion involved drainage problems and finally Mr. Palmer asked permission to run a drainage line across the street from his property to a line on opposite side of street. The Selectmen stated that this permission would have to come from the Street Supt.

Complaint re: need of surface and drainage improvements on Southgate Road.

The following-named licenses were granted:
Temporary Wine and Beer: Fees: $0.50 each.
1. Lowell Sportsmen's Club, Swain Road. for 9/11/60.
2. South Chelmsford Gun & Rod Club, Mill Road for 8/21/60.

Sunday Entertainment:
1. Alfred DeAmicis, Paramount Lounge, Inc. 9/4/60 to 8/27/61. Fee: $154.00

Licenses granted.

Letter of Resignation of Mrs. Eleanor M. Parker, Clerk for Precent 6 Election Officer, due to illness. It was decided that a letter of appreciation for her many years of service, estimated to be about thirty-five in number, should be prepared and sent to her in recognition of her faithful years of service.

Election Officer resigns.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to give permission to the United Grange Fair Inc. for the running of the annual marathon on Sept. 11th.

Marathon for Grange Fair approved.

A letter from Mr. William Hennessy regarding need for street signs warning motorists to slow down due to children, read and discussed and it was decided that a conference should be held with the Police Chief as a large number of such requests have been received in the recent past.

Letter re: need for Slow-Children signs.

Mr. Tom Azack of the Campanelli & Cardi Co. was present to ask that his firm be allowed to truck fill after 8:00 P.M. and he was told that there had been a number of complaints against the present schedule and therefore no extensions could be granted. Also the suggestion was made that a fence be installed near homes on Elliott St. to safeguard the children in neighborhood and Mr. Azack stated he would study the proposal.

Request that trucks be allowed to haul fill until 9:00 P.M.

Letter from the Planning Board regarding easement which Mr. Lupien will give the town for drainage line, to go to the St. Supt. and later to Town Counsel. Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, took the letter and will submit it to the St. Supt. for study.

Offer re: drainage easement from Mr. Lupien.

The Town Counsel, in a letter to the Selectmen, stated that it was his opinion that claim for $157.00 by John M. Kaspaer for property damage to his automobile should not be paid, as the town was not liable.

Automobile damage claim denied.

Request for permission to use park at Westford and Worthen Sts. for Church Fair to be referred to the Park Commissioners and request for closing of Worthen St. to be checked with the Police Chief.

Permission to hold Church Fair to be referred to Park Dept.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, August29, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Complaint re: admission charges for bathing at Heart Pond.

Mrs. Doris Knisley & Mrs. Beverly Dureault were present to protest admission charge for swimming at a public beach at Heart Pond, now controlled by the South Chelmsford VIA. The Selectmen checked the by-law relating to the area, passed at a town meeting some years ago, and they were told that Pond Street was closed to thru-way traffic and that the vote did not contain any other provisions. The women stated that it was unfair to charge admission as there were no improvements nor was the bathing area cleaned at any expense of the VIA.

Application to Peddle signed.

Application to Peddle for George S. Yates, 5 B Street, signed. Fee: None.

Pole Location Hearings.

The following described hearings were then conducted:

1. Petition for 1 Pole Location on Mission Road, at 8:10 P.M. by the Worcester County Elec. Co., #60022, dated 7/8/60. No abutters were present. Petition signed.
2. Petition for 1 Joint Pole Location & 2 Jt. Pole Location Abandonments on Old Twiss Rd. & 6 Jt. Pole Locations on Relocated Twiss Rd., at 8:15 P.M. C-8526, dtd 7/7/60 for highway construction by MEECo. & NET&TCo. No abutters were present and petition was signed.
3. Petition for 1 Joint Pole Location on Westford St. at 8:30 P.M. by MEECo. & NET&TCo. for reconstruction, C-8528, dated 7/7/60. No abutters were present. Petition signed.
4. Petition for 1 Joint Pole Location & 1 Jt. Pole Location Abandonment on Worthen St. for driveway clearance. Mr. Clarence Hope was present but did not object. He represented the Central Congregational Church. Petition hearing was at 8:45 P.M. Petition No. C-8539, dated 8/1/60 by MEECo. & NET&TC. Petition was then signed.

Application for an outdoor sign.

Application for an outdoor sign by the Flynn Co. for location on land of Theodore Emerson, on Littleton Road, to be investigated.

Railroad crossing signs needed at Maple Rd.

Notice of need of 2 signs at NYNH&HRR crossing on Maple Road, to be referred to the Highway Supt.

Conference to be held with Police Chief.

It was decided to meet with the Police Chief to discuss Police Dept. problems at the next meeting of September 12th.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
Sept. 6, 1960.

Appointment of Election Officers.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present. The Town Clerk, Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf and several Election Officer Wardens were present regarding the appointment of each Election Officer, the new tellers and the work for the coming Primary on Sept. 13th. Then the following-named persons were appointed as Election Officers:

Appointment of Election Officers.

Precinct 1:	(New Tellers listed below.)	
Warden:	Irving J. Phillips,	40 Littleton Road.
Clerk:	M. Lorraine Simard,	4 Bridge St.
Dept. Warden:	Emily A. Peake,	261 Billerica Rd.
" Clerk:	Harriet H. Shedd,	82 Boston Rd.
Inspectors:	Catherine D. Riney,	5 Bartlett St.
"	Louise M. Harrington,	145 Boston Rd.
"	Myrtle C. Sykes,	7 Brentwood Rd.
"	Lillian F. Lewis,	23 Billerica Rd.
Precinct 2:		
Warden:	Vacancy. To be filled soon.	
Clerk:	Ruth M. Jamros,	42 Princeton St.
Dept. Warden:	Florence E. Beauregard	63 Newfield St.
" Clerk:	Dora M. Tucke,	16 Fairview Avenue
Inspector:	Mary M. Vondal,	75 Newfield St.
"	Grace H. Cummings,	184 Princeton St.
"	Anna E. Cummings	184 " "
"	Ann Rooney,	18 Frank St.
Precinct 3:		
Warden:	Dorothy C. Burne,	208 Main St.
Clerk:	Mildred H. Wilkins,	33 School St.
Inspector:	Grace Luke,	36 School St.
"	Rose A. Doherty	65 Twiss Road.
Precinct 4:		
Warden:	James E. Reardon	121 Brick Kiln Rd.
Clerk:	Mary E. Swenson	25 Moore St.
Dept. Warden:	Cecilia Dix,	44 Carlisle St.
" Clerk:	Ruth P. Lamprey	18 Oak Knoll Av.
Inspector:	Hilda Braga	21 Riverneck Rd.
"	Theresa R. Maguire	9 Beaulieu St.
Precinct 5:		
Warden:	Herman L. Purcell, Jr.,	336 Acton Rd.
Clerk:	Evelyn M. Philbrook	92 Proctor Road,
Inspector:	Edna House	20 Proctor Road.
"	Doris Simpson	203 Park Road.
Precinct 6:		
Warden:	Viola B. Cochrane	10 Sunrise Ave.
Clerk:	Mary H. Long,	283 Chelmsford St.
Deputy Warden:	Katherine F. Knapp	62 Linwood St.
" Clerk:	Ethyl M. Oates,	169 Dalton Road.
Inspector:	M. Angelique White,	11 Juniper St.
"	Marion M. Bennett	152 Dalton Road.
Tellers - All to be on duty at 8:00 P.M.		
Precinct 1:	E. Carl Parmenter	22 Dalton Road.
	Edith Pickles,	46 Westford St.
	Thomas Green	32 Second St.
	Irene W. Borrows,	50 Hornbeam Hill Rd.
Precinct 2:	Gladys M. Angus,	33 Washington St.
	Jennie V. Lavell,	35 Newfield St.
	Ann E. Hehir,	25 Church St.
	Mildred M. Hehir,	25 Church St.
	Helen F. Aubrey,	10 Seventh Ave.
	Charlotte E. Carriel,	35 Middlesex St.
Precinct 3:	Gloria M. Patenaude	199 Main St.
	Gladys I. Kimball	219 Graniteville Rd.
	Catherine Larson	79 School St.
Precinct 4:	Appointments to be made at later date.	
Precinct 5:	Laura Anderson	81 Park Road

Appointment of Election Officer Tellers

Precinct 6:
Alice B. Dryden, 34 Proctor Road,
Alice Armistead, 71 Proctor Road..
Lester Parker 29 Rainbow Avenue
Rose M. Grogan 32 Sunrise Avenue
Ruth E. Osberg, 4 Sunrise Ave.
Ann M. Kierce 8 Sunrise Ave..
Howard Lawson 32 Woodlawn Ave.
Eva Gleason 11 Maple Avenue

Board of Selectmen
by aHColburn
Recording Clerk

Appointment of Election Officer Tellers.

On Sept. 8, 1960 the following additions were made to the Election Officer Roster:

For Precinct 1: Tellers: (For duty after 8:00 P.M.)
Marion P. Wilcox, 46 "estford Street.
Dorothy Watson, 6 Pearson Street.
Joan Mank, Walnut Road,
Ann Wentzel, 7 Wildes Road,
Emma Greenwood, 117 Boston Road.

For Precinct 4: Tellers: (For duty after 8:00 P.M.)
*Frances Varnum, 22 Manning Road,
Eleanor Delmore, 14 Manning Road,
Shirley Coluchi, 24 Riverneck Road,
Margaret Kinnal, 20 Columbus Ave.,
Esther Larson, 26 Carlisle St.,
*Mrs. Varnum to also serve as Deputy Clerk for Prec. 4 in absence of Mrs. Ruth Lamprey..

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Recording Clerk

Election Officers Appointed.

Shortly after Sept. 8, 1960, Anna Cummings was appointed Warden for Precinct 2, and Earl Boyd was appointed as Teller. Mr. Boyd resides at 40 Princeton St., North Chelmsford.

Board of Selectmen
by aHColburn
Recording Clerk.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Sept. 19, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Complaints re: operation of North Rd. Garage.

Messrs. Paul Leary and Alfred Schommer were present to offer their complaints regarding conditions at and near to the North Road Garage. They stated that old used cars are dismantled and set afire and there is a definite nuisance to the neighborhood. It was stated that the Motor Vehicle Junk license had been granted to the garage in the past but the Selectmen stated they would investigate the matter to see if improvements could be made.

Licenses granted.

Licenses granted were:
1. Sunday Chester Spaulding, 250 Westford St. Fee: $4.00
2. Common Victulaer Ruby Emery, Central Sq. " 5.00

The following described Gasoline Storage Hearings were then held:

1. At 8:15 P.M. on application of Arthur C. Jones for permission to store 2,000 gallons of gasoline underground at 83 Garrison Road, Chelmsford. Registered Mail Return Receipts were presented to the Recording Clerk giving evidence of proper nofification of abutters. Mr. Jones was the only person present. Then on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00. Adv. Costs: $6.00. Total: $11.00.
2. At 8:30 P.M. on application of Wallace W. Gedman, &/or East Coast Builders for storage of 2,000 gallons of gasoline on Lot 235, at 33 Janet Road. No persons were present. Only applicant was an abutter. On motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00, Adv. costs: $6.00. Total: $11.00.

Gasoline storage hearings.

Letter from a Mr. Cote regarding need for road repais on Cortez St. read and it was stated that resurfacing work had been done and a member of the board will contact the complainant personally.

Request for repairs to Cortez St.

It was decided that a letter to R. Dexter Tolman, of Worcester should be written authorizing the purchase of twelve votometers.

Selectmen to purchase Votometers.

A group of ten residents of the Gurich development at Locke Road were present to discuss the water problems in their neighborhood. Mr. Greenwood explained and stated that the Selectmen would study the problem and will possibly attempt to correct it. He stated it might be necessary to confer with the Town Counsel on the matter.

Water problem discussed for Locke Rd. area

It was decided that letters should be sent to the Police Chief regarding:

1. Need for his department to study recent report of traffic survey at Vinal Square and then attempt to make corrections and enforcement of the rules for safety control.
2. The Selectmen then re-affirmed an earlier vote that all Automatic laundries should close on Sundays and that the Police Department should enforce this regulation.

Police Dept. requested to make survey & enforce regulations at Vinal Sq.

Laundromats to be closed on Sundays.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unamiously to appoint Herbert T. Barton of 149 Warren Avenue as a Special Police Officer without pay from town for road construction work.

Special Police Officer apptd.

Invitation from City Manager, Frank Barrett, of Lowell stating that a meeting would be soon called for regional planning committtee to be answered and the Selectmen to attend upon notice of definite date.

Invitation to attend regional planning meeting.

Application to Peddle for Robert E. McClure, 15 Gail St., Chelmsford signed. Fee: None.

Application to Peddle signed.

Board of Health Members, Messrs Oliver Reeves, Robert Greenwood, Edward Tyler, Jr., present to ask support of Selectmen when request is made to increase salary item of Health Sanitarian as they stated they are unable to find qualified personnel for appropriation available.

Conference with Board of Health re: Salary of Sanitarian.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Sept. 24, 1960.

Members present. Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, and Mr. McAndrew were present. Mr. George was unable to be present.

Jurors Drawn. In the presence of the Town Clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, the following named jurors were drawn by Mr. Greenwood:

1. Joseph Cote, 5 Cortez St.
2. John W. Dixon, 54 Middlesex St.
3. Ernest Harper, 20 Quigley Avenue.

Coin-operated laundries to be closed on Sundays. It was decided that letters should be sent via special mailing with return receipts requested to each of the owners of the automatic laundries stating that there will be no operation of these establishments on Sundays and that this decision is based on the provisions of Chapter 136, Section 5 of General Laws..

Pole Location Hearing. A hearing was held at 8:15 P.M. on the petition of the MEECo. & NET&TC.o for 1 Joint Pole Location on Graniteville Road, C-8554, dated 8/17/60. No persons were present. The petition was signed by both members present..

Special Police Officer Appointed. On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted by the majority present to appoint Beverly G. Johnson, 61 Acton Road, Chelmsford, as a Special Police Officer for Road Traffic Work, without pay from the town..

School Bldg. Committee desires Town Meeting during Nov. Mr. Charles Harrington, a member of the Elementary School Bldg. Committee, notified the Selectmen that that committee desired to hold a Special Town Meeting on Nov. 14, 1960.

B&M. Railroad inquires about use of drain. Referred to Health Board. Letter from the Boston & Maine Railroad regarding use of culverts at North Chelmsford for drainage purposes by private firms referred to the Board of Health and the railroad office to be so notified.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting, Board of Selectmen, Oct. 3, 1960.

Members present. Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, & Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Police Dept. appointments. On motions by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to make the following appointments for Police Dept:

1. Permanent Patrolman: John J. Bell, eff. 10/6/60.
2. Intermittent " : Henry F. Mullen, " 9/20/60.

Application to Peddle. An application to peddle for Ronald C. Yates, 5 B St. was signed. Fee: None.

Gas Storage License Hearing. License granted. At 8:15 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the application of Richard Lagasse for permission to store 20,000 gallons of gasoline on land owned by Richard & Clarence Lagasse at 39 Old Westford Road. Richard Lagasse was present and the registered mail return receipts were presented to the Selectmen. There was also notice of mailing presented to prove that Joseph Roarke, an abutter, was notified. A return receipt was not available from Mr. Roarke. The license was granted. No persons were present to object. Fee: $5.00. Adv. Costs $6.00. Mr. McAndrew moved, seconded by Mr. George, and voted unanimously.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Selectmen, October 10, 1960.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

Mrs. William Reid of 38 Bridge St., was present to inform the Selectmen that a brook in the rear of her property had been closed by a neighbor and now an overflow had resulted and water now stands in the rear of her property. She stated that a Mrs. Ouellette had blocked off the flow of water and that the condition was now serious. The Selectmen stated they would investigate the matter immedateily to determine the town's liability, if any, and then offer suitable recommendations.

Inquiry re: blocking off of a waterway.

Selectmen to investigate.

Mr. George Hedrick was present to stated that he was the new manager of the Alpine Bowling Alleys and he desired to learn the procedure in obtaining the bowling alley license. He was instructed to contact Mrs. Cummings when he desired to apply for the license and that one could be obtained for a six-month period as new licenses are granted for May 1st of each year.

Inquiry re: procedure to obtain Bowling Alley License.

Mr. & Mrs. Christopher Sophos and Mrs. Harold Farnum were present to listen to the Board's comments regarding registered letter sent by Mrs. Mildred K. Sophos relating to an alleged zoning and building violation on Lot 6, and Lot 6A, at 47 Billerica Road. It was stated that a house lot had been divided and a portion of same was later sold and a home is now being erected on the lot. Several zoning violations were mentioned, such as set back, side yard dimensions, etc. and the Selectmen stated they would immediately turn the matter over to the Town Zounsel and that the builder would be instructed to cease operations.

Inquiry re possible zoning & building violation, on Billerica Road.

Then the following-named appointments were made:

1. On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint John F. McLean, 73 Billerica Road as a Special Police Officer for road duty without pay from the town.
2. On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to app int George F. Edwards, 28 First St., as a Special Police Officer for road duty without pay from the town.
3. On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, who stepped down from the chair, it was voted by the majority to appoint Halvar Peterson, 11 Bradford Road, as a Special Police Officer for Road Construction Work, without pay from the town. Mr. McAndrew was much opposed to this motion and vote and immediately after the vote had been taken, he left the meeting.

Appointments to Special Police Officer Roster.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 17, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Inquiry re: Road Acceptance where new industry might locate.

Raymond T. Osborn and two representatives from the Gilbert Const. Co. of Burlington, Mass. appeared before the Selectmen regarding the construction of a new industry off Billerica Rd. on the Shuhany property and adjacent to the private road now being used by road construction company. They asked the Board's cooperation regarding the acceptance of the road prior to the purchase by them and construction of their buildings. The members assured them that they would cooperate and would make immediate inquiries as to the procedure for opening up a portion of this private road for public use.

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the MEECo. & NET&TCo. for 1 Pole Location on Kenwood St., C-8556 dated 8/23/60 to serve Bernard J. McGlinchey. No persons appeared to object & the petition was signed by all members.

Inquiry re: possibility of waiving Street Repair Requirements where water main installed.

Messrs. Charles House & Frederick Field, representing the South Chelmsford Water District, appeared and requested a waiver of street construction requirements for installation of a water main from Kenwood St. to property of Walter Alcorn. They stated that the expense involved would be prohibitive for the district. The Selectmen stated they would confer with the St. Supt. to see what arrangements could be made to assist the District.

equest for Street Signs.

Messrs. Joseph Lukas & Edward Baron were present and they requested that suitable signs be installed for Tadmuck Road and other signs for other unidentified roads in vicinity as delivery men are presently having difficulty in finding their homes. They stated also that the Town of Westford should assist in placing of suitable signs as there is much confusion. The Selectmen stated they would confer with the Westford Selectmen.

Request for Removal of Dead Elms.

Messrs. Lukas & Baron also asked that three dead elm trees along Pine Hill Road be removed. Trees are located near the Charles Koulas residence. The Recording Clerk was asked to forward this request to the Tree Warden.

Traffic Control lights requested.

Petitions from town residents asking that:

1. Traffic Control Lights be re-installed at Chelmsford-Stedman-Golden Cove intersection. The Selectmen decided that a request should be sent immediately to the Traffic Div. of the DPW.

Street Lights Requested.

2. Adequate Street Lights be installed at the same intersection and the Selectmen decided to study the matter and take appropriate action in the very near future.

Center Polling place to be at McFarlin School.

It was decided to notify the School Committee that the McFarlin School Cafeteria should be used for voting on November 8, 1960.

equest for change of name of part of Twiss Road.

The Fire Chief, Ernest Byam, was present to ask that a new name be proposed for a section of Twiss Road, now divided due to recent road construction. It was decided to confer with residents at the area and then submit a proposal to voters at the coming Special Town Meeting.

Inquiry re: brook water stoppage.

Messrs. Reginald Furness & Harper were present to report that a sub-divider had stopped flow of brook water near the KofC property on Tyngsboro Road. They were informed that the matter was under jurisdiction of Planning Board due to subdivision work.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 24, 1960.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

Mr. Geo. Hedrick inquired as to the hours that a Bowling Alley could operate and a suitable reply to be made to him.

Inquiry re: Hours for Bowling Alleys.

John Carruthers, Custodian of the Center Town Hall, was present to inquire about necessary repairs to awnings damaged by recent hurricane. He presented estimates of cost of repairs and was instructed to make the repairs.

Report on storm damage to awnings.

Then at 8:15 P.M. Sealed Bids for the Purchase of #2 Fuel Oil for use at Town Halls, Fire Stations, and Libraries were opened. There were representatives present from the Alpine Fuel Oil Co. and the Mahoney Fuel Co. Bids received were:

1.	Alpine Fuel Oil Co.	.123	per	gal.	&	service.
2.	Mahoney Fuel Co.	.1295	"	"	"	"
3.	A-BA-Co., Inc.	.12	"	"	"	"
4.	D. T. Sullivan Coal Co.	.1395	"	"	"	"

Sealed Bids Opened for Purchase of Fuel Oil.

Then on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted by the majority to award the contract for fuel oil purchases to the A-BA-Co. Inc. for .12 per gallon. Mr. McAndrew abstained from voting.

Award of contranct for Purchase of Fuel Oil.

Petition for 1 Pole Re-Location on Concord Road, by MEECo. & NET&TCo., C-8582, dated 10/3/60 for reconstruction purposes signed by the Clerk. No hearing was required.

Pole Re-Location Petition signed.

It was decided to invite John F. Ketcham and the three members of the Insurance Advisory Committee to a meeting on Nov. 7, 1960 at 8:30 P.M. to discuss the request of Mr. Ketcham that he be authorized to confer with a representative of the Fire Ins. Rating Assn. regarding a possible rate reduction for fire insurance in Chelmsford..

Request for authority to confer with Ins. Rating Bureau for Rate Reduction.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint Robert L. Kelley, 103 Tyngsboro Road, as a Special Police Officer for North Chelmsford Congregational Church Property only, without pay from the Town.

Special Police Officer Appointed.

License for a six-month period was granted for 60 Bowling Alleys for Alpine Lanes, 30 Haymarket St. from 11/1/60 to 4/30/61. Fee: $150.00

Bowling Alley License Granted.

At 8:30 P.M. a public Hearing was held on the petition of the MEECo. & NET&TCo. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Pine Hill Road, C-8573, dated 9/21/60, to serve Abbott Lane Extension. No abutters were present at time of hearing and petition was signed by all members. Later Mrs. Delcia Silvia appeared after hearing had concluded. She did not object to the pole location.

Pole Location Hearings.

At 8:45 P.M. a Hearing was held on the petition of the MEECo. & NET&TCo. for 5 Joint Pole Locations on Beech St., C-8557, dated 8/24/60 to serve William DeSelle. No abutters were present. Petition was signed by all members.

Alternate Member of Board of Appeals Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint Stanley J. Polak, 28 Carlisle St. East Chelmsford. as an Alternate Member of the Board of Appeals, term to expire: 3/1961. This appointment fills vacancy caused by the resignation of Eliot W. Remick.

Vote to prohibit Parking on both sides of Acton Rd.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to prohibit parking on both sides of Acton Road, from the Bowl-a-Rama to High Street, and that the Police and Highway Departments to be so notified, so that the vote will be enforced and suitable signs installed.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 31, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, and Mr. McAndrew were present.
Mr. George was unable to attend.

Jurors Drawn

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, the following-named jurors were drawn:

1. By Mr. Greenwood: Mary M. Vondal, 75 Newfield St.
2. By Mr. McAndrew: William E. Riney, 23 Hornbeam Hill Rd.

Inquiry re: Zoning-Bldg Violation Case.

Mrs. Mildred K. Sophos and Mr. & Mrs. Harold Farnum were present to inquire what progress had been made in the investigation of their zoning and building violation complaint and Mr. Greenwood stated that the Town Counsel had not sent his report back to the Selectmen and it would not be known for a few more days. Mrs. Sophos had various questions to ask and Mr. Greenwood attempted to answer each one. A long discussion followed.

Inquiry re: re-naming of Chamberlain Road.

Mr. Edward Baron was present to inquire what progress had been made in the plans to rename Chamberlain Road and Mr. Greenwood stated it would have to be done at a town meeting and thus no action would take place until at least the March meeting..

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 7, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Resignation of Election Officer.

The resignation of Irene Borrows, as a Teller for Prec. 1, was announced.

Conference with Insurance Advisory Committee Members.

Messrs. Roger P. Welch and Eustace B. Fiske were present to discuss the request of John F. Ketcham that he be authorized to confer with the Ins. Rating Bureau in order to determine if a fire insurance rate reduction might be possible for Chelmsford. Due to illness, Mr. Ketcham was unable to attend. After some discussion, it was decided that a letter should be sent directly to the Rating Assn. asking that a study be made by the Assn. for rate reduction purposes.

Written request received for acceptance of Biltmore Avenue to be returned with a copy of specifications so that plans may be prepared in the future.

Request for Street Acceptance not approved.

Plans for approximately thirty streets had been received and they will be studied in the near future to determine if they are in proper shape for acceptance.

Street Acceptances.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 21, 1960.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the MEECo. & NET&TCo. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Graniteville Road, C-8588, dated 11/7/60. No abutters were present and the petition was signed by all members.

Pole Location Hearing.

Mr. Joseph Ouellette of 12 C St. was present and requested that C St. be properly plowed this winter. The Selectmen stated they would confer with the St. Supt. and later it was decided to analyze the street plans to determine just how far the street had been accepted. Mr. Ouellette also asked for street repairs and Mr. Greenwood stated that the town would make the repairs on the accepted area.

Request that street plowing & repairs be made on C Street.

Then petitions for various pole relocations and abandonments were signed after adoption by the board. No hearings were required.. Descriptions follow:

1. 2 Pole Location Abandonments on Main St., by MEECo. & NET&TCo. C-8616, 11/1/60, signed by all members.
2. 1 Pole Relocation on Westford St. by MEECo. & NET&TCo. C-8599, 10/18/60, signed by the clerk.
3. 1 Pole Relocation on Billerica Road, to clear a driveway, by MEECo., C-8626, dated 11/9/60, signed by clerk.

Pole relocation & Abandonment petitions adopted.

Letter from the St. Supt. stating that various streets had not been properly repaired after water main installations read and it was decided that a written request should be made to the Commissioners asking that work be done and completed promptly..

Highway Supt states various streets not repaired properly after water main installe

Letter from the Merrimack-Essex Elec. Co. asking if town Selectmen would authorize the cutting of wires for house moving along Dalton Road, read and Selectmen decided that a reply should be sent stating they were not interested in cutting wires nor assuming cost of same.

Selectmen do not approv cutting of wires for house moving.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint William E. Mitchell, as a Special Police Officer for Road Construction Work, without pay from the town..

Special Police Officer Appointed.

Selectmen to request DP. District Highy. Engineer to to change road pattern of Chelmsford St. at new Rte. 110 overpass.

Letter read from Mr. Brooks Stevens, Jr. calling attention to the need for changes in road construction along Chelmsford St. near overpass of new Route 110. The Selectmen concurred with the suggestion of Mr. Stevens and it was decided to request the DPW and Engineer Hanron to make these changes as soon as possible as the narrowing of Chelmsford Street is considered a danger to motorists.

Chairman states he will request Town Counsel for immediate legal ruling on Zoning & Bldg. Violation.

Mr. Greenwood stated that no legal opinion had been received from the Town Counsel regarding the possible zoining and building violation on Grove & Billerica Sts. and he stated he would confer personally with the Town Counsel immediately. The complainant, Mrs. Sophos, was present and stated she felt she had been most patient for seven weeks.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, November 28, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present.

Licenses Granted.

The following-listed licenses were granted:

COMMON VICTUALTER; Renewals. All fees $5.00 each.

1. The Meadow Grille of Chelmsford, Inc., 100 Tyngsboro Road,
2. American Legion, A. W. Vinal Post 313, Inc., Groton Road,
3. Dad & the Boys, Inc., 225 Littleton Road,
4. Dean's Food, Inc., dba Glenview, 248 Princeton Street,
5. The Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road,
6. William H. Powers, dba North Chelmford Wine & Liquor Co.,Inc., 2 Tyngsboro Rd.
7. C. Richmond Page, dba Page's Drug Store, 35 Central Sq.
8. The Paramount Lounge, Inc., 40 Vinal Sq.,
9. Princeton Creamery, Inc., 147 Princeton Street,
10. Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294-296 Billerica Road,
11. Skip's Diner, Inc, 116 Chelmsford St.,
12. Jack's Diner, 11 Central Sq.,
13. Ruby Emery, dba The Old Mill House, 24 Central Sq.,
14. Chelmsford Bowl-o-Rama, Inc., 9 Acton Road,
15. Helen S. Bentas, dba The Wishbone, Concord, Road.,
16. Mrs. Charles Ballos, dba Ballos Diner, 17-19 Vinal Sq.,
17. Allan H. and Leona M. Adams, 10 Vinal Sq.,
18. Lorraine E. Lachut, dba Vinal Square Variety, 2 Groton Road.,
19. Joseph Donovan, dba Elm Diner, 67 Princeton St.,
20. Anthony & James Vasilopoulos, dba King Doughnut, 195 Princeton St.,
21. Charles F. Senia, dba George's Pizza Italian Gardens, 193 Prinecton St.,
22. Anthony Privitera, dba Tony and Ann's, 135 Princeton St.,
23. Thomas E. Firth, etc., dba Firth Farms, Gorham St. & 105 Carlisle St.
24. George McMahon, 370 North Road,
25. Edward Lloyd, dba Nan's Coffee Shop, 9 Fletcher St.

AUCTIONEER: Renewal Fee: $2.00

1. M. Edward Riney, 4 Bartlett St.

Weekday Entertainment; Renewals Fees $5.00 Annually.

1. The Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road.,
2. Paramount Lounge, Inc., 40 Vinal Sq.,
3. Dean's Food, Inc., dba Glenview, 248 Princeton St.,
4. The Meadow Grille of Chelmsford, Inc., 100 Tyngsboro Road.,
5. Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294-296 Billerica Road.

SUNDAY ENTERTAINMENT: Renewals Fees: $156.00 each.

1. Mrs. Charles Ballow, 17-19 Vinal Sq.,
2. The Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road.,
3. Harold Kecy, Dean's Food, Inc., & Glenview, 248 Princeton St.
4. The Princeton Lounge, 147 Princeton Street,

ALL ALCOHOLIC, COMMON VICTUALER: Renewals, Fees: $600. each.

1. Paramount Lounge, Inc., 40 Vinal Sq.,
2. Dean's Food, Inc., & Glenview, 248 Princeton Street,
3. Dad & The Boys, 225 Littleton Road,
4. Princeton Creamery, Inc., 147 Princeton Street,
5. Skip's Diner, Inc., 116 Chelmsford St.,
6. Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road.,
7. Meadow Grill of Chelmsford, Inc., 100 Tyngsboro Rd.,
8. Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294-296 Billerica Road,

ALL ALCOHOLIC, RETAIL PACKAGE GOODS STORE, Renewals. Fees: $900. each.

1. North Chelmsford Wine and Liquor Co., Inc., 2 Vinal Sq.
2. Chelmsford Package Store, Inc., 149 Gorham St.,
3. Hindman's Market, Inc., 229 Chelmsford Street,

Licenses Granted.

WINES AND MALT BEVERAGES, RETAIL PACKAGE GOODS STORE, Renewals. Fees: $200. each.

1. Chelmsford Wine Shop, Inc., 37 Central Sq.,
2. Patrick J. Murphy, dba The North Chelmsford Market, 39 Vinal Sq.,

CLUB LICENSE, Renewal, ALL ALCOHOLIC, Fee: $100.00

1. American Legion, A. W. Vinal Post 313, Inc., Groton Rd. & Willis Dr.,

DRUGGIST, ALL ALCOHOLIC, Renewal, Fee: $300.

1. C. Richmond Page, dba Page's Drug Store, 34 Central Sq.,

AUTO DEALER'S Class I Renewals. Fees: $15.00 each.

1. Roger Boyd, Inc., 40 Chelmsford St.,
2. Europa Motors, Inc., 123 Princeton St.,

AUTO DEALER'S Class II, Renewals, Fee: $15.00 each.

1. Kenneth V. Cutcliffe, 100 Chelmsford St.,
2. Eleftherios Liakos, 133 Princeton St.,
3. Edward J. Duffy, Tyngsboro Road, near Sleeper St.,
4. Harold C. Hurst, 112 Tyngsboro Road,
5. Orman W. Leland, 293 Chelmsford St.,
6. Frederick J. Fantozzi, 1-9 Princeton St.,
7. Joseph Vieira, 2-4 Tyngsboro Road,
8. Percy T. Robinson, 25 Vinal Sq.,
9. Joseph S. Starr, 122 Gorham St.

AUTO DEALER'S Class III, Renewals, Fee: $15.00 each.

1. Roger Boyd, Inc., land in rear of Emerson Avenue.
2. Farley H. Kemp, Sleeper St.,

It was decided that the Street Acceptance Plans received from residents of Cortez St. should be returned as they are not properly prepared.

Cortez St. Acceptance plans to be returned.

Request from Legion Posts for larger Memorial Day Appropriation.

Four persons representing the American Legion Posts 212 and 313 appeared before the Selectmen and Mr. B. C. Smith acted as spokesman. He stated that both posts requested that the sum of $1,000. be submitted to the voters in the budget for Memorial Day Celebrations, as the usual amount of $750. had been inadequate due to increased costs and the fact that now the East Chelmsford post participated. The Selectmen stated they would submit the $1,000.

Town Counsel Legal Opinion re: Zoning Violation Received.

The legal opinion from the Town Counsel in reply to the inquiry of Mrs. Christopher Sophos regarding possible zoning violation adjoining her property read and the opinion clearly stated that there was a violation and the building should not have been erected on that sized lot. The Selectmen directed that a reply be sent to Mrs. Sophos and they then stated they would confer with the builder in the immediate future.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 5, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, and Mr. George were present. Mr. McAndrew was not present.

Jurors Drawn.

The names of two jurors were drawn. They were:

1. Viola Cochrane, Sunrise Avenue,
2. Domenico DiRuzza, Adams Street,

Request that Boston Rd. repairs be made.

Mr. & Mrs. Stephen L. Kelly and Mr. Kennth Jennings, all of Boston Road, appeared before the Selectmen and they stated that there was a hole in the street near their property and that they had complained about need for repairs previously but nothing had been done. Mr. Greenwood assured them that the Selectmen and the Street Supt. would visit the area and the repairs would be made promptly.

Budget Conference with Town Accountant.

Then a conference was held with Lewis I. Hilton, Town Acct. regarding the Accounting Dept. budget.

Pole Location Hearings.

The following-described pole locations were held:

1. At 8:15 P.M. on the application of the MEECo. & NET&TCo. for 1 Jt. Pole Location on Main St., C-8621, dated 11/4/60, to support lines; no abutters being present and the petition was signed.
2. At 8:30 P.M. on the application of theMEECo. & NET&TCo. for 2 Jt. Pole Locations & 1 Jt. Pole Location Abandonmt. on Dunstable Road, C-8615, dated 11/1/60 for reconstructn. No one was present and the petition was signed.
3. At 8:40 P.M. on the application for 1 Jt. Pole Location Abandonment & 2 Jt. Pole Locations on Billerica Road, by MEECo. & NET&TCo., C-8608, dated 10/25/60 for reconstruction. Wm. P. Bartlett, representing All Saint's Church was present and did not object. Mr. Allan Willoughby was also present and asked that final approval be delayed until he could investigate. The Selectmen agreed to postpone any action until the next meeting.
4. At 8:50 P.M. on the application of MEECo. & NET&TCo. for

1 Joint Pole Location & 2 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on Concord Road, C-8607, dated 10/25/60, for road construction. Mr. Stefanos Bentas was present but did not object. The petition was then signed by all members.

5. At 9:00 P.M. for 3 Joint Pole Locations on Crooked Spring Road, C-8595, dated 10/18/60 by MEECo. & NET&TCo. for reconstruction. No persons were present and petition was signed.

Pole Location Hearings.

A Temporary Wine and Malt Beverage License was granted to John C. Ferreira, 77 Riverneck Road, for 12/9/60. Fee: $0.50

License Granted.

A petition for 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Pine Hill Road, C-8631, dated 11/16/60 was adopted by the Board. No hearing required, and signed by all members.

Pole Location Abandonment Petition Adopted.

It was decided that a letter should be written to Senator-Elect William Hayes asking that he assist the Selectmen in having road pattern changes made on Chelmsford St. near new Route #110 overpass to eliminate danger to motorists traveling on Chelmsford St.

New Senator to be requested to assist on road changes.

Mr. Greenwood reported that he had received complaints of dog packs in new development off Concord Road and the danger to small children. He stated he had instructed the Dog Officer to check and take whatever action is necessary.

Dog Complaints referred to Dog Officer.

The Selectmen agreed to investigate possibility of sidewalk completion work on Groton Road for school children.

Sidwalk work to be studied.

It was decided to name the new road paralleling Rte. 110, off Littleton Road, and part of Tadmuck Road, "Pine Hill Road," so identification of the street would be less confusing.

Change of name of roads to be made.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 20, 1960.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, and Mr. George were present. Mr. McAndrew was not present.

Members present.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the NET&TCo. and MEECo. for 2 Joint Pole Locations & 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Tyngsboro Road, #473, dated 10/25/60. No persons were present. The petition was then signed.

Pole Location hearing.

It was decided that the next two meetings will be held on Dec. 29th and Jan. 3rd.

Schedule set for future meetings.

It was decided that a letter of acknowledgement should be sent to the District Highway Engineer Thomas Hanron for his assistance in changing road pattern on Chelmsford Street.

Letter of acknowledgmt. to be sent to Dist.Highway Enginner.

Mr. Arnold C. Perham was present and requested that suitable signs be installed in the principal squares of town, about twenty in number, as many are presently unmarked. It was thought it best to do a few each year from highway funds.

Request that Signs be installed to mark town squares.

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:30 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the MEECo. & NET&TCo. for 2 Joint Pole Locations and 2 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on Boston Road, C-8630, dated 11/16/60, to serve Robert Homes. No abutters were present. The petition was signed by all members.

License granted.

A Sunday Entertainment License was granted to Robert V. Ducharme at 225 Littleton Road for 52 Sundays. Fee: $156.00

Request for All Alcoholic Package Store License to be filed.

An application for An All Alcoholic Retail Package Goods Store License from Center Beverage Co., John R. McArdle, was read and it was stated that the present quota will not allow the issuance of such a license and that the applicant should be so notified.

Application to peddle.

An application to peddle was signed for Kenneth C. Howard, 216 Princeton St., North Chelmsford. Fee: None.

Special Police Officer appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted to appoint Daniel B. Kinney, 30 Elliot St., Chelmsford as a Special Police Officer for Road Construction Work, without pay from the town.

Town Forest Committee Member resigns & successor appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted to accept the resignation of Robert Picken as a member of the Town Forest Committee and to appoint Robert T. Clough as his successor, to fill unexpired term.

Town Forest Committee Member gives details of boundaries of Concord Road area.

Mr. Martin K. Bovey was present regarding the Town Forest Land boundaries and he presented information and displayed plans of the land off Concord Road. He stated that there were errors in the Assessors records which indicate that the tract of land is less than amount showing on town records. He also displaed plans showing nearby and adjoining properties and informed the Selectmen that the town would receive various parcels adjoining the present forest as gifts from various persons in order to preserve the entire area for conservation use. Authority was granted to Mr. Bovey to have engineering work proceed to determine the proper boundary of the Chelmsford-Carlisle town line.

Pole Location Petition signed.

A petition for 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment and 2 Joint Pole Locations on Billerica Road, C-8608, dated 10/25/60 by MEECo. & NET&TCo. was signed by all members. The hearing had been previously conducted on Dec. 5, 1960 and no objections developed after interested abutters investigated the locations

Board of Selectmen
by C A Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen
Dec. 29, 1960.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, and Mr. McAndrew were present. Mr. George was not present.

Contract awarded for for C H Rear door improvements.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for changing rear doorway and adding roof, etc. at rear of Center Town Hall to William O'Neil for $524.00 per bid received.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted to appoint Ralph J. Hulslander as a Constable for the ensuing year.

Constable appointed.

Sealed Bids for the printing of the Annual Town Report were opened. They were from Sullivan Bros. for $11.00 per page for 2500 reports and from Billerica Publishing Co. per schedule. It was decided to take the bids under advisement.

Sealed Bids Opened for Printing of Town Report.

For Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 3, 1961.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for the printing of the Annual Town Report to Sullivan Bros. for price of $11.00 per page, per their bid received. Also it was decided to engage the services of Mrs. Katherine Leslie as proofreader. The Recording Clerk was requested to notify all department heads that reports should be received by Jan. 16, 1961.

Contract awarded for Printing of Town Report. & Proofreader to be hired.

Plans for the acceptance of Diamond Terrace were received and accepted.

Plans for Diamond Terrace Acceptance Received.

A report from a member of the Police Dept. regarding after-hours operation of a local liquor establishment was read and it was decided that the owners, Joseph & Richard Cossetti of the Meadow Grille of Chelmsford, Inc. should be requested to appear before the Selectmen on Jan. 9th, at 8:30 P.M.

Notice of sale after hours by a liquor establsmt.

Then a meeting was held with the three members of the Personnel Board regarding Salaries & Wages of departments under the supervision of the Selectmen.

It was decided to have the Fire Chief, ErnestByam, meet with the Selectmen on Jan. 9th at 9:00 P.M.

Selectmen to confer with Fire Chief.

Letter from Colonel Zaiss of Berkeley Drive stating that there were poor road conditions near his home and on Graniteville Rd. read and it was decided that the letter should be referred to the Street Supt. Mr. Greenwood stated he would confer with the Supt. about matter.

Complaint re road condistions.

The Selectmen then met with members of the Zoning Appeal Board and Mr. George asked the Zoning Board members to give special attention to applications for opening of more gravel banks in Chelmsford, now that the road building projects were now being completed in other communities and that the construction companies should endeavor to obtain their grading materials within the confines of the community where the construction work is being done.

Selectmen confer with Zoning Appeal Board Members re: gravel bank applications.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 9, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Road Construction Co. asked to improve conditions while hauling.

Discussion re: crossing town land.

Mr. Thomas Azack of Campanelli & Cardi was present regarding the various complaints received from local residents about the condition of roads where heavy trucking is done. Also the Selectmen had learned that the company had built a private road across town land. The Selectmen asked that spillage be eliminated; that roads be cleaned up where it occurs; that overloading of trucks be stopped, and that road damage be repaired. They asked that drainage ditches on side of roads be cleaned out. Mr. Azack stated he would attempt to do all these things and that Mr. Pettee of the School Bldg. Committee had given him permission to cross town land. The Selectmen emphasized that the company must make every attempt to improve conditions, otherwise the town will take further and more drastic steps to protect its property.

Liquor Establishment owners warned not to sell beverages after hours.

Messrs. Joseph & Richard Corsetti of the Meadow Grille of Chelmsford, Inc. were present at the request of the Selectmen regarding the report of the Police Department that the owners had served liquor after hours around the holidays. The owners stated that they had had difficulty in getting their patrons to leave the restaurant and they gave assurances that no such further violations would occur. The Selectmen warned them that no further violations would be tolerated. Also it was mentioned that no dancing can be allowed on Sundays.

Complaint re: traveling conditions on Boston Road hill.

Then Messrs. Raymond Paul and Patrick Walsh appeared before the Board regarding the dangers to motorists traveling on Boston Road hill due to water from drainage flowing out into the roadway and then freezing on the roadbed. Mr. Greenwood stated that the Selectmen will confer with the Highway Supt. on this subject as soon as possible to see what improvements can be made.

Fire Chief discusses budget & special article requests.

Fire Chief Ernest Byam was present to discuss the Fire Dept. budget and special articles for the Annual Town Meeting. Discussions followed regarding the purchase of a Station Wagon for Chief's use, increase in staff, and salary rates.

Wine & Beer Lic. granted.

A temporary Wine and Beer License was granted to South Chelmsford Gun & Rod Club for Jan. 21st. Fee: $0.50.

Inquiry to be made re: delay in installing street lights.

The Recording Clerk was requested to inquire as to what has caused the delay in installing street lights as the order had been placed about Nov. 1st.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 16, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Licenses granted.

The following-listed licenses were granted:

1. Sunday: Bertram Wolvene, dba Vinal Sq. Variety, 2 Groton Road. Fee: $4.00
2. Temporary Wine & Liquor License: South Chelmsford Gun & Rod Club. Mill Rd. for 1/16/61. Fee: $0.50

Written resignation of M. Lorraine Sinard as Clerk of Prec.1 Election Officer was received and accepted.

Election Officer resigns.

A written report of the Aerial Spray Committee was read and Mr. Greenwood stated he would forward the letter to the Finance Committee on Jan. 19, 1961.

Report of Aerial Spray Committee.

At 8:15 P.M. on petition of the MEECo. & NET&TCo. for 4 Joint Pole Locations on Locuse Rd., C-8646, dated 12/15/60 for line extension, a hearing was held and no abutters were present. Petition was signed by all members.

Pole Location hearing.

At 8:30 P.M. Sealed Bids for the Purchase of Rock Salt for the Highway Dept. were opened in the presence of Joseph Mahoney. Bids are listed as follows:

Salt Bids opened and contract awarded to low bidder.

		Car Delivery	Truck Delivery
1. International Salt Co:	Bulk:	$13.10	$15.10
	Bags:	20.10	23.10
2. Chemical Co:	Bulk:	13.10	16.10
	Bags:	20.10	23.10
3. Eastern Minerals:	Bulk:	12.75* at Chelsea.	14.75

Then on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to award the contract to Eastern Minerals.

Rock Salt contract awarded.

Then the following described Pole & Wire Location Hearings were held:

1. At 8:45 P.M. for 4 Pole Locations on Route 3, by MEECo. & New England Power Co., E-7842, dated 10/10/60 Kenneth Radcliffe and Stephen Hughes were present to represent the utility companies and also present was Mrs. Ethel Bellegarde, an abutter. There were no objections and the petition was signed by all members.
2. At 9:00 P.M. for power lines to cross Glen Avenue and Route 495, by MEECo. & New England Power Co., E-7841, dated 10/19/60, Messrs. Radcliffe and Hughes and Mrs. Bellegarde were present as well as Austin McCormack and Roger Boyd. No one objected to the locations and the petition was signed by all members.

Pole & Wire Location Hearings.

Then the Selectmen met with the Street Supt. regarding his budget for 1961 and new equipment which would be needed.

Conference with St. Supt.

Mr. Clifford Holmes appeared before the Selectmen to inquire as to deadline for presenting an article for warrant for one acre lot area for building purposes.

Article for One-acre area for building

Atty. Francis Monarski was present to ask about deadline for article for rezoning of a portion of Chelmsford St.

Artile for rezoning.

The Selectmen took no action on reducing theater license fee as requested by owner or leasee of a local theater.

Theater license fees not to be reduced.

A letter was received from the Methodist Church of West Chelmsford protesting the issuance of a liquor license to Alpine Lanes. It was decided to send a reply acknowledging receipt of their letter and to inform them that as of date of writing no application has been received.

Church protests liquor license for bowling alley.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 23, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Jurors Drawn.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, the following-named jurors were drawn:

1. Robert M. Hood, Hidden Way,
2. Elinor [illegible]. Dorsey, 15 Tobin Ave.,
3. Louis L. Hannaford, Jr., 47 Golden Cove Road,
4. Ella Peverill, 210 Groton Road.

Bid for Gasoline opened and contract awarded.

At 8:15 P.M. A Sealed Bid for Purchase of High-Test Gasoline was opened. Bid was from Gulf Oil Corp. with a discount price of 4.15¢ per gallon. Mr. Valentine of the Gulf Co. was present. On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to award the contract to the Gulf Co.

Article presented for Tn. Mtg. Warr. re: LaHaise Land.

Mrs. Armand LaHaise was present to give an article for Warrant for coming annual meeting requesting additional funds for land taking for school purposes due to sale of fill to road bldg. company.

Delegation from Mental Health Assn. requests town appropriate funds for the Assn.

Rev. Paul Hustead, Wm. Moriarty, Robert Zollo, Frederick Bardsley and Patrick J. Hogan, all from the Mental Health Assn. of Greater Lowell were present to ask the town's support in starting again the Child Guidance Center. It was suggested that a five-cent per capita allotment be given the assn. by town meeting appropriation. Mr. Greenwood stated that deadline had passed for receiving material for warrant but he would confer with the Town Counsel regarding the insertion of such an article.

Thomas Green present and made complaints against School Dept.

Thomas Green was present and spoke of difficulties he has had with the School Department and he made various complaints against personnel in the system. He was referred to the School Department as the Selectmen have no jurisdiction in school matters.

Application to Peddle signed.

Application to Peddle was signed for Ronald C. Yates, 5 B St., and no fee to be charged.

Inquiry re: fence dispute to be sent to Fence Viewer.

A letter from Mrs. A. R. Keenan regarding her request for a written report pertaining to a fence erected by Arnald O. Gagne and report of fence viewers to be forwarded to Atty. Reginald Furness.

Delegation present re: Grove Street Zoning Violation.

Mrs. Mildred K. Sophos of Grove St. with ten other persons appeared before the Board and she read and presented a letter regarding the Zoning and Bldg. violation on Grove Street, and the recent Board of Appeals decision. She asked that the Selectmen take legal action to enforce the zoning and building code. A long discussion followed and finally Atty. Vernon R. Fletcher visited the hearing room and attempted to answer several questions of the group. After the dscussion it was decided not to institute any legal action in the case.

Town Counsel to prepare letter for signing by Selectmen for the Gilbilt Co. re: zoning.

The Selectmen then conferred with Mr. Fletcher regarding the preparation of a written statement to Gilbilt, Inc. regarding the operation of such a business on land on Billerica Road Mr. Fletcher stated he would prepare a suitable letter for the members to sign.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 30, 1961.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, & Mr. George were present. Mr. McAndrew was unable to attend.

Members present.

Applications to Peddle for the following were signed. (No fee.)
1. Bertram H. Brown, 200 Groton Road, North Chelmsford.
2. Charles W. Livingston, 36 Newfield St., " "

Applications to Peddle signed.

Eustace B. Fiske was present to discuss various phases of the Insurance Dept. budget for 1961. He stated he would have it finished for the Selectmen by Thursday, Feb. 2nd.

Discussion re: Insurance budget for 1961.

It was decided to hold Street Acceptance Hearings on Feb. 15th, 1961 commencing at 7:30 P.M.

St. Hrg. Date set.

Letter from John Southwick regarding the decision of the Board of Selectmen to not take legal steps in the case of a Grove St. building law violation read and Mr. George stated that he would contact Mr. Southwick regarding the inquiry.

Letter rec'd re: Grove St. Bldg. Violation.

Petition for Dog Nuisance in East Chelmsford read and Mr. Greenwood stated he would confer with the Police Dept. and Dog Officer regarding the matter. Dogs in question are owned by Mrs. Potvin.

Petition read re Dog nuisance.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Colburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 6, 1961.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, & Mr. George were present. Mr. McAndrew was unable to attend.

Members present.

A group of persons, eight in number, were present from the Chelmsford Farms area and all complained about the unrestrained dogs in the neighborhood. They presented a petition signed by a large number of persons. Those present included Joseph & Laura Montuore, Ellen Elston, Donald Lilly, Roy Marion, Claire Robertson, Edward Saffrine and Manuel Bargardo. The Selectmen stated they would take the petition under advisement. Mr. Greenwood explained the procedure to control dangerous dogs and that specific complaints must be received.

Group of residents complain re: unrestrained dogs in Chelmsford Farms area.

A registered mail notice that the Middlesex County Retirement System Pension, Expense & Military Service Fund expense for 1961 will be $25,082.67.

County Retirement Assessment for 1961.

The following described pole location petitions were acted upon:
1. A hearing at 8:15 P.M. for 2 Joint Pole Locations on Warren Ave., C-8648, dated 12/20/60, by MEECo. & NET&TCo. No persons were present and the petition was signed.
2. A hearing at 8:30 P.M. for 3 Joint Pole Locations & 5 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on Spaulding Rd. to serve Robert Hicks, C-8641, dated 12/12/60 by MEECo. & NET&TCo. Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Connelly were present but did not object. Then the petition was signed.
3. A hearing at 8:45 P.M. for 1 Jt. Pole Location & [illegible] Jt. Pole Location Abandonments on Billerica Rd., C-8649, dated

Pole Location Hearings.

Pole Location Hearing.

12/27/60 by MEECo. & NET&TCo. to clarify records. Mr. Alan Willoughby appeared but did not object to the petition. Then the petition was signed.

Selectmen confer with Street Supt. re: Snow Plowing and difficulty of removing abandoned vehicles.

Frederick R. Greenwood was present and the Selectmen then discussed the snow plowing done by his department in the past few days. He was commended for the fine job done. The problem of parked abandoned cars in roadways was discussed and it was stated that emergency powers may be invoked by the Selectmen if similar conditions prevail at some time in the future when a paralyzing storm comes.

Election Officer resigns.

Resignation of Doris Simpson as Clerk for Prec. 5 received, and accepted.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 13, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George and Mr. McAndrew were present. Mr. Greenwood was unable to attend. Mr. George presided.

Applications to Peddle signed.

Two applications to peddle were signed for; (Fees: None.)

1. Robert C. Yates, 21-A Stedman St., Chelmsford.
2. Harvey A. Aubert, 31 Parkerville Road, So. ".

County Hospital Assessmt. for 1961.

Notice from the County received that the assessment for 1961 for the Tuberculosis Sanitorium will be $14,013.65 forwarded to the Town Counsel.

Letter to go to DPW re: funds to repair roads damaged by trucks.

It was decided that a letter should be sent to the Dist. Highway Engineer's Office of the DPW. to remind the engineer that the town should receive additional Chapter 90 funds for 1961 due to damage by heavy trucks while trucking fill for new state highways.

Petition to transfer pole ownerships signed.

A petition was signed by the clerk for transfer of ownership of 2 pole locations from joint control to the MEECo. on Westford St. C-8657, dated 1/19/61, by the MEECo. & NET&TCo. No hearing was required.

Emergcy.Fin. Bd. approves School Loan.

Notice from the Emergency Finance Board giving approval of a loan for $750,000. for the new Boston Road Elementary School received, read and to be forwarded to the Town Treasurer.

Inquiry re: Town Report Bid.

A letter from the Billerica Publishing Co. asking that they receive a copy of the Sullivan Bros bid for Town Report read and it was decided to forward same to the company for their inspection.

Lic. Lic. applicant explains reasons for his Wine&Beer Application.

Mr. Charles Senior, applicant for a Common Victualer, Wine & Malt Beverage License was present to explain the type of business he operated and the reasons for the request. He stated the beverages would be served only with meals and there would not be a bar. Also present were Raymond Paul & William Swanton who spoke in favor of the granting of such a license. Patrick Walsh was also present.

Southwell Co. protest blocking of Wotton Rd by B&M.

Letter from the Southwell Co. with a copy of a letter sent to the B&M Railroad, read asking that in the future trains not be allowed to block crossing at Wotton Rd. to be sent to Town Counsel by Mr. George.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 15, 1961.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, and Mr. George were present. Mr. McAndrew was not present.

Members present.

Street Acceptance Hearings were held as follows:

At 7:30 P.M. for Algonquin Road, Nadine Road, Etta St. Clarissa, Judith, Wildes, Temi, Janet, Craig, Donna and Parlee Roads and Sandra Drive. About twenty-three persons were present and there were various inquiries as to services to be given by the town; the height of newly installed hydrants, water conditions, street lights and distances to be accepted. Various street plans were displayed. No one objected to the town accepting these streets.

At 8:15 P.M. for Luan Circle, Charlemont Court, Radcliffe Road, Castlewood Drive, Berkeley Drive, Longview Drive, Gristone Road, Diamond Terrace, Abbott Lane and Colonial Drive. About twenty-three persons were present and various abutters asked about street lighting, and surface conditions, and street signs. No one objected to the acceptance.

Street Acceptance Hearings.

At 8:45 P.M. for Hidden Way, Town Way, Brentwood Rd, Moore Street, Haymarket St., ClaudeRoad, and Linwood Street. About thirty-six persons were present and no one objected to the acceptance. Frederick R. Greenwood was present for all acceptance hearings and he stated it would be very costly for the town to accept Claude Road. Mr. Lewis I. Hilton questioned the acceptance of Linwood St.

Later the granting of a Wine & Malt Beverage License was discussed and on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted by the majority not to grant the license to Charles F. Senia, d/b/a Italian Gardens, 153 Princeton Street, North Chelmsford.

Selectmen vote not to grant Wine & Malt Common Vict. License.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 20, 1961.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was unaninously voted to appoint Mary R. Garvey as Clerk for Precint 1, to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of Lorraine Simard.

Election Officer Appointed.

Messrs. Charles Zousas and Chris Costos were present to ask assistance in Proctor Road drainage problem. A plan was shown and they stated that water flowed onto their property. It was decided to visit the area in question with the Street Supt. to see what could be done.

Inquiry re: drainage problem on Proctor Road.

Request that Theater License Fee be reduced.

Two representatives of the Lockwood Theatre Corp. who have leased the Littleton Road Drive-In Theater, were present and Mr. John O'Sullivan acted as spokesman to request that the Selectmen assist the company in a license fee reduction as the present fee is abnormally high in comparison to other towns. He asked that the fee reduction by considered on a temporary or possibly a permanent basis. The Selectmen took the request under advisement.

Weighers of Merchandise Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew it was unanimoulsy voted to appoint the following-named persons as Weighers of Merchandise:

For Southwell Combing Co:
Paul Westood, Arthur Arsenault, Thomas Broscombe,
Robert Malley, Edward Whitworth, Joseph Foley,
James Robinson, Alfred Ducharme, Norman Thompson,
Leon Clément, George Fournier, Stanley Sadowski.

For Gilet Wool Scouring Corp:
J. Henry Duffy, Frederick W. Knox, Sr., Francis J. Sakalinski, Mederic Tousignant, Edgar Theriault, Eugene E. Gilet, Clifford M. Hoyt, Ovila Sirois, Arthur Beaulieu, John J. Hehir, Arthur Soucy, Manuel Ferreira and Eugue Gauthier.

Official 1960 Federal Census Figure Announced.

Official Notice from the Secretary of the Commonwealth giving the 1960 Federal Census figure of 15,130 for Chelmsford read and to be placed on file.

Retail Package Goods Store Liq. License to be advertised.

It was decided to advertise immediately that an application for an All Alcoholic Liquor License, Retail Package Goods Store, for James C. Harrington, had been received.

Selectmen to support bill re: Outdoor Adv.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to support the act involving approval of all outdoor billboards by local boards of selectmen.

Fire Dept. commended.

A public commendation of the Fire Department for their superior handling of a serious fire in congested Central Square and thus saving of surrounding property was made by all members of the Board.

Dog Nuisance complaints heard.

A group of persons, all residents of the Castlewood Section, appeared before the Selectmen regarding the nuisance of dogs allowed to roam unrestrained in the neighborhood. Several persons spoke of damage and the frightening of children. Other persons spoke and said the complaint was exaggerated and some protective measures had already been taken. The Selectmen suggested that the group attempt to reconcile their differences and not make it necessary for the Board to take drastic action.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 27, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Application to Peddle Signed.

An Application to Peddle for C. H. Humphrey, 270 Littleton Road was signed. Fee: None

Conference re: sale of fill from school land.

Cristy Pettee & Charles D. Harrington conferred with the Selectmen regarding available gravel on Boston Road School Bldg. land site and that possibly later it might be sold on a bid basis. There was no objection to this plan. Blueprints of the area were displayed to show locations of gravel.

A petition for 1 Pole Re-Location on Concord Road, C-8664 dated 2/10/61 by MEECo. & NET&TCo. was signed. Petition was submitted to clarify records. No hearing was required and petition was signed by the clerk.

Pole Re-Location.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, and seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to accept resignations from:
1. Theresa Maguire as Inspector for Prec. 4,
2. Doris Simpson " " " " 5,

and to appoint replacements as follows:
1. Frances A. Varnum, 22 Manning Road, Insp. for Prec. 4
2. Grace C. Auger, 115 Elm Road, Insp. for Prec. 5.

Election Officers Resign.

New Appointments.

It was decided to open bids for Fire Department Station Wagon on March 9, 1961 at 10:00 A.M. at Accountant's Office and advertisements to appear in newspapers on March 2nd.

Bids to be called for Fire Dept. vehicle.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was conducted on the Acceptance of a part of Old Middlesex Turnpike. Messrs. Joseph Newcomb, John B. Molleur, James J. Waldron and F. Clinton Vincent were present. They did not object to the acceptance. There was some discussion regarding drainage but they were assured that the acceptance would undoubtedly benefit the abutters.

Public Hearing for Acceptance of Old Midd. Turnpike.

A liquor License application for All Alcoholic Retail Package Goods Store was received from the J & M Co., James & Michael A. Kasilowski. Mr. Michael Kasilowski appeared before the board and he was informed by the Recording Clerk that the application could not be accepted by the Selectmen as it do not describe in detail the premises to be licensed. It was found that no building presently existed where the license would be exercised.

Liquor License Application Received & not to be accepted.

Mr.. Rodis of Bowl-a-Rama was present and stated the company now had five pool tables (3/4 size) and they desired to have their license conform with the new equipment. It was decided to grant a license until May 1st for the new equipment and the fee for the two-month period to be $10.00.

Request for Licensing of Pool Tables. Request granted.

Mr. Pappas and Mr. George Hedrick were present from Alpine Lanes regarding the Sunday operation of Automatic coin-operated machines. It was decided to investigate the subject before making any decisions.

Inquiry re: Sunday Licenses for coin machines.

Mr. Warren C. Lahue was present to discuss the new parking area plan and after some discussion it was decided to send a letter to the Traffic Division of the DPW to request that a traffic survey of Central Square be made.

Selectmen to request a traffic survey of Central Sq.

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by JHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 6, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, & Mr. George were present. Mr. McAndrew was unable to be present.

Board of Health conference re: Lowell City Dump.

Members of the Board of Health, Edward L. Tyler, Jr. & William R. Greenwood, were present to discuss a recent fire at the Lowell City Dump off Westford St. and they stated that the dump continues to be a danger and nuisance to residents of the town. They further stated that they had reported the new complaints to the State Dept. of Public Health and they then read the reply that had been received. Mr. Greenwood, Selectman, suggested that both boards meet with the Town Counsel, Mr. Fletcher, at a Special Meeting to see what further steps should be taken. This suggestion was met with approval by all present.

Sealed Bids opened for Police Cruisers.

At 8:15 p.m. in the presence of the Police Chief, Sealed Bids were opened for the purchase of three police cruisers. Also present was a representative of Manzi Dodge Co. The bids follow:

1.	Peirce Ford Sales	Net:	$5,811.06
2.	Roger Boyd, Inc.	"	4,250.00
3.	Manzi Dodge	"	3,340.00
4.	Lowell Motor Sales	"	4,699.00

It was decided to take the bids under advisement pending town meeting vote on appropriation.

Sealed Bids opened for Highway Trucks.

At 8:25 p.m. (and scheduled for 8:15), in the presence of the Highway Supt., Sealed Bids were opened for the purchase of two truck chassis and cabs. Also present was a representative from Eastern Truck Sales. The bids follow:

1.	Peirce Ford Sales	Net:	$6,141.90
2.	Eastern Truck Sales,	"	6,220.00
3.	Roger Boyd, Inc.	"	5,390.00
4.	R. A. Beauchemin Co.	"	6,190.00

It was decided to take the bids under advisement pending town meeting vote on appropriation.

Discussion re: Coin-Operated Amusement Devices.

Selectmen vote to not grant Sunday Permits for Coin Machines.

Then followed a discussion regarding the licensing of coin operated amusement devices on weekdays and on Sundays. An application from Alpine Lanes for Sunday Entertainment License was then read. The Police Chief, Ralph J. Hulslander, was present and he spoke in opposition to granting Sunday Licenses for such equipment. He then volunteered to obtain a list of all such equipment in the town so that they would be licensed for weekday permits. Later in the evening, on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted by the majority present to not grant licenses on Sundays for coin-operated amusement devices.

It was decided to hold the next meeting on March 14, 1961.

Jurors Drawn.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, the following-named jurors were drawn:

1. Harold E. Clayton, Jr, 2 Fairbanks Road.
2. Edward T. Brick, 157 Princeton Street.

Objection filed re: Pool Tables.

Mr. Edgar Hunt of Littleton Road, appeared before the Selectmen and spoke in opposition to the licensing of pool tables or pool rooms in Chelmsford. He stated it would not be desirable for young people and he suggested a Youth Center for recreational purposes. It was suggested that Mr. Hunt introduce this proposal to members of the Town Recreational Committee.

A representative of the Gilbilt Co. appeared and inquired about procedure for obtaining a Gasoline Storage Permit. The Recording Clerk gave instructions to the applicant.

Inquiry re: Gas Storage Permit.

Mr. John Carruthers, Custodian of the Town Hall, spoke about repairs to Police Garage Doors and Awning Repairs. He was instructed to obtain estimates of cost of repairs at once.

Town Hall repairs discussed.

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Recording Clerk

On March 9, 1961 Sealed Bids were opened in the Town Accountant's Office for the purchase of a Station Wagon type vehicle for the Fire Department by Mr. Greenwood. Bids are listed as follows:

Bids Opened for Fire Department Ranch Wagon.

1.	Chelmsford Street Garage:	$2,547.25
2.	Roger Boyd, Inc.	2,575.00
3.	Manzi Dodge	2,595.00
4.	Peirce Ford Sales	2,682.11
5.	Lowell Motor Sales	2,689.00

The Bids were then taken under advisement pending appropriation of funds at the Annual Town Meeting.

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 10, 1961.

Mr. Greenwood, Chairman, Mr. George & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Members present.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew and seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted that Edgar P. George be Chairman for the ensuing year.

Chairman elected.

Also on a motion by Mr. McAndrew and seconded by Mr. George, it was voted that Mr. Greenwood be Clerk for the ensuing year.

Clerk elected.

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by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 21, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew & Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

Mr. Albert Walker, a member of the Industrial Development Commission was present to discuss the recent Appeal Board decision in which the Gilbilt Co. was denied a variance for constructing a business building on Billerica Road. He stated that other members of the commission were most upset over the results and they desired advice on future planning. Mr. George outlined the Appeal Board's procedure, and the events of the present case and asked the members' patience. It was finally decided after some discussion that the two boards would hold a joint meeting March 29th at 7:30 P.M.

Conference with Ind.Dev. Comm. Member re Appeal Board decision.

On March 14th, hearings were arranged as follows, and in both cases no abutters were present to object:

1. Petition for 1 Joint Pole Location & 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Billerica Road, C-8662, dated 2/2/61 by MEECo. & NET&TCo. signed by all members.
2. Petition for 1 Joint Pole Location on Graniteville Rd. C-8668, dated 2/15/61, by MEECo. & NET&TCo. signed by all members.

Pole Location Hearings.

Complaints discussed re: Bowl-a-rama Establishment.

A letter from residents of Acton Road complaining about conditions near the Bowl-A-Drome read and also a letter from the proprietors of the Alley offering various explanations in reply to previous complaints read and it was decided that the matter be turned over to the Police Dept. for complete investigation and future observation, and that a report be sent back to the Selectmen.

Request for written legal opinion re: zoning violation denied.

Mr. Timothy O'Connor was present and asked for a written legal opinion from the Town Counsel as to whether a store, having been closed for a long period of time due to settling of an estate, could now be re-opened in a residential district. He was given the opinion orally and it was suggested that he obtain further relief from the Board of Appeals.

Contracts awarded for Fire, Police and Highway Department Automotive Equipment.

On motions by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was unanimously voted to award the contracts for the purchase of:

1. A Ranch-Wagon type vehicle for Fire Dept. to Roger Boyd, Inc. for $2,575.00
2. Three Cruisers for the Police Dept. to Manzi Dodge, Inc for $3,340.00.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for the purchase of Two Truck Chassis & Cabs to Roger Boyd, Inc. for $5,390.00.

Letter rec'd re: Dog Nuisance.

A petition regarding a barking dog nuisance owned by Alexander C. Bauch of 26 Clinton Ave., read and it was decided to forward instructions as to the filing of a sworn statement of complaint to the petitioners.

Board votes to establish April as Town Scholarship Month.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to establish April as Scholarship Fund Month and to allow a Tag Day to be conducted on April 8th.

All Alcoholic Package Store License Granted.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to grant an All Alcoholic Retail Package Goods Store License to the Chelmsford Wine Shop, Inc. Fee: $900.00 per year.

Auxiliary Police Officers Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint the following-named persons as Auxiliary Police Officers:

1. James E. Simpson, 17 Parkerville Road.
2. James K. Quinn, 174 Princeton Street.
3. Raymond P. Tremblay, 7 Gay Street.

Class II Auto Dealer's Licenses Approved.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, and seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to grant a Class II Auto Dealer's License to Bob Feehan, d/b/a North Road Garage, 374 North Road. Fee: $15.00

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to grant a Class II Auto Dealer's License to Nick's Texaco, (Nicholas Emanouil, Proprietor) at 8 Littleton Road. Fee: $15.00

Complaints received re: Littleton Road Trailer & same referred to Town Counsel.

Mr. George reported that he had received telephone calls from a neighbor complaining about the placing of a trailer illegally on Littleton Road, and owned by Roy Pearson, and it was decided to forward the inquiry to the Town Counsel for investigation.

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by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, March 28, 1961

Mr. George, Chairman, and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. McAndrew was unable to attend.

Members present.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, the following-named jurors were drawn:

1. Esther P. Cody, 44 Ledge Road.
2. Edmund Polubinski, 205 Main Street.
3. William C. Buxton, 89 Twiss Road,
4. H. Carol Niemasyzk, 55 School Street.

Jurors Drawn.

Charlotte P. DeWolf was then authorized to proceed with the election of the five-member Insurance Advisory Committee as required for establishment of the Town Insurance Plan as voted by referendum at recent town election.

Town Clerk authorized to proceed with election of Ins.Advis. Committee.

Alice Smith and Charles Cormier were present to confer with the Selectmen regarding the picketing of homes of workers of an electrical company in Acton which is now on strike. It was stated that certain local workers had broken the picket line and the strikers wished to now picket their homes. They stated they had legal counsel and had been advised that such action was within their rights. The Selectmen stated they would confer with the Town Counsel and the Police Chief.

Notice that picketing would be donducted in Chelmsford due to strike in Acton.

Application for a Package Store, Wine & Malt Beverages License from Julia Chianis received and no action taken.

Application for Wine&Beer Package License Tabled

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to nominate W. E. Merrill as Animal Inspector for the ensuing year.

Animal Insp. Nominated.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to authorize the Custodian of the Center Town Hall, John Carruthers, to make repairs to garage doors for $90.00 per bid of Donald F. Dean; for repairs to screens for $116.00 per of Edward A. Carlson and repairs to awnings for $170.00 per bid of the Aaron Mfg. Co.

Approval given bid for various town hall repairs.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 3, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew & Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

A conference was held with members of the Insurance Advisory Committee, Frederick Bardsley, James Dunigan, Ernest G. Byam, Raymond E. Harmon and Charlotte P. DeWolf. Later, after a discussion period, on a motion by Mr. Harmon, seconded by Mr. Byam, it was voted unanimously to have the insurance plan effective July 1, 1961.

Conference with Ins. Adv.Committee re new insurence plan.

Mrs. Margaret R. Mills was present to ask that plans be included in the Memorial Day Celebration for observance of the Civil War Centenial. The Selectmen agreed to confer with the Memorial Day Committee about this request.

Request that Civil War Centennial be included in Memorial Day Observance

Request for assistance in drainage problem.

Messrs. Robert Griffin and Alfred Pepper were present to ask that steps be taken to overcome water drainage problems on Sheppard Lane, in rear of Lion's Den. Mr. George stated the matter would be investigated to see if the town was liable in anyway.

Fee set for Harrington Package Store License.

It was agreed that the fee for the Harrington All Alcholic Package Store License should be $750.00, as credit of $150.00 would be allowed for fee paid for Wine & Malt License for 1961.

Future requests re: poor elec. service not to be referred to Selectmen.

It was decided to send a letter to the NEECo. to ask that no utility representative refer any future complaints of poor electric service to the Selectmen as was done in the case of Mrs. Raymond Johnson.

Animal Insp. appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint Winslow E. Merrill as Animal Inspector for the ensuing year. Nomination had been approved by state officials.

Inquiry re: payment of Town Forest Committee bills.

Mr. Martin Bovey was present to inquire about payment of certain labor bills for opening trails. He was informed that there was no way to pay for such charges from the Town Forest Committee budget.

Recreational Commission Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted that the Town Counsel should provide information which governs the operation of a Recreational Commission. Also it was unanimously voted to appoint the following members to a Recreation Commission for a one-year term:

George C. Hedrick, Francis C. Dinneen, Robert Ware,
Leslie Kydd, Sallie L. Delmore, Harold Farnum,
Jeanne L. McAndrew, Harry J. Avotte, Parker W. George,

Inquiry re: procedure governing Personal Prop. Tax Assessments.

Mr. Edward Baron was present to inform the Selectmen that he had learned of a discrimination of assessments of Personal Property Taxes by the Assessors. He was informed that the Selectmen had no jurisdiction in any such problem.

Appointment of various town officials

On motions by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint:

Alfred H. Coburn,	Recording Clerk,	Term exp: 3/1962.		
Frances D. Cummings,	Financial Clerk,	"	"	"
Frederick R. Greenwood,	Supt of Streets	"	"	"
Vernon R. Fletcher,	Town Counsel	"	"	"
John W. Carruthers,	Janitor, Center Hall	"	"	"
Joseph L. Larocque,	" North Hall	"	"	"
Frank Wojtas,	Dog Officer,	"	"	"

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted by the majority to appoint:

Edward T. Brick, Registrar of Voters, Term exp: 1964.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew it was voted unanimously to appoint Cortlandt J. Burkinshaw as Supt. of Burials of Indigent Soldiers & Sailors, Term expires: 3/1962.

Then Mr. Greenwood moved and Mr. McAndrew seconded the motion that no further appointments be made at this time. It was voted then unanimously.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 10, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew & Mr. Greenwood were present.

The Health Sanitarian was present to confer with conditions relating to business establishment of Arthur Thiffault at Boston & Mill Rds. It was decided to check license files to determine what type have been issued in the past.

Health Agent confers with Selectmen re: Thiffault Retail Store.

It was decided to grant a Junk Collector's License to Mr. Arthur Coutu, effective 5/1/61. License form to be signed and released at a later date.

License granted.

At 8:15 P.M. a Public Hearing was conducted on the application of Ruth E. and Herbert M. Sturtevant for permission to store 16,000 gals. of gasoline, 550 gals. of Fuel Oil, 550 gals of Waste Oil and 2,040 gals of gas, motor oil, grease and anti-freeze at 76-80 Chelmsford St. Mr. Byron & Mr. Rizza of the Esso Oil Co. were present, as well as Miss M. Marion Adams, Mrs. Evelyn Philbrook and Mrs. Ruth O'Sullivan. There were no objections to the license. On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00; Adv. costs: $18.50.

Public Hearing for Gas Storage License.

License granted.

At 8:30 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the MEECo. & NET&TCo. for 1 Joint Pole Location & 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Spaulding Road, C-8670, dated 3/16/61, to serve Robert Hicks. No persons were present to object.

Pole Location Hearing.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to grant permission to United Rent-Alls of 20 Vinal Sq. to erect a 2' x 6' aluminum & plastic sign.

Permission given to install sign.

A petition was received protesting the rebuilding of the building of Frontier Research, Inc. recently destroyed by fire. A large delegation of persons was present and various ones spoke of the danger of the fire and reported explosions. The Selectmen stated that no decision would be made until a report from the Fire Marshal had been received.

Petition & Protest Meeting re: Rebuilding of Bldg. of Frontier Research, Inc.

Licenses were granted as follows: (For Howard Johnson Rest.)
Sunday: The Roslyn Shops, of Chelmsford, Inc. Fee: $4.00
Common Victular: " " " " Fee: 5.00

Licenses granted.

The Town Counsel conferred with the Selectmen regarding various legal matters, one of which was the case, Wilkins vs. Town of Chelmsford. Mr. Fletcher stated that a judgement had been received and the town was liable for payment of salary, interest and costs in excess of $9,000. On a motion, after some further discussion, by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously not to appeal the case.

Town Counsel confers with Selectmen & advises that Court has ruled in favor of Treasurer in recent case.

Resignation of Arthur E. Worthley, Jr. as a member of the Industrial Development Commission was received.

Resignation of member of Ind. Com.

Atty. Warren Allgrove and a group of persons from Frontier Research , Inc. appeared before the Selectmen and stated the company hoped to rebuild. The Selectmen stated that no decision would be reached until a report is received from the Fire Marshal. Atty. Allgrove stated the company will later

Atty. for Frontier Research, Inc. asks that Co. be allowed to rebuild.

file for a building permit and whatever licenses may be required to re-commence operations.

Selectmen informed a Gas Insp. must be appointed.

Ernest Ryan reported to the Selectmen that a Gas Inspector will soon have to be appointed according to new state regulations.

Annual Appointments.

Then additional appointments were made:

On motions by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew and voted unanimously:

		Terms Expire:
Building Inspector:	William A. Anderson,	3/1962.
Town Forest Committee:	Robert T. Clough,.	3/1964.
Zoning Appeal Board:		
Regular Member:	Charles Egerton,	3/1966.
Alternate Member:	Stanley J. Polak,	3/1962.
" "	James O. Robinson	3/1962.
Honor Roll Committee:	Robert M. Hood,. George R. Dixon and Thomas E. Firth, Jr.,	3/1962.
Veterans' Agent:	Terrence E. O'Rourke,	3/1962.
Industrial Commission:	Forrest E. Dupee,	3/1964.
" "	Kenneth E. Koch,	3/1964.
Fence Viewers:	Thomas E. Firth, Jr.	3/1962.
	Reginald Furness	3/1962.

Conservation Commission:

	Terms expire:
Martin K. Bovey	3/1962.
Peter F. Curran	3/1963.
Clifford J. Holmes	3/1964.
Charles A. House	3/1964.
Thomas A. Malloy, Jr.	3/1962.
Edmund Polubinski	3/1963.
Edwin H. Warren	3/1964.

On motions by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood and voted unanimously:

		Terms expire:
Wire Inspector:	Harold M. Tucke, Jr.	3/1962.
Moth Superintendent:	Myles J. Hogan	3/1962.

Veterans' Emergency Fund Committee All terms exp: 3/1962.
George S. Archer, Joseph J. Sadowski, Perry T. Snow, John J. McNulty, George F. Waite, Alfred H. Coburn,

Civil Defense Committee: All terms expire: 3/1962.
Bertram T. Needham, William W. Edge, Charles S. Koulas.

Industrial Commission: Gerald J. Lannon, Term exp: 3/1964.

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Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 17, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Conference with representative of Road Bldg. Company re: trucking on town roads.

Mr. Thomas Azack of Campanella and Cardi, the Police Chief, Ralph I. Hulslander and Street Supt. Frederick R. Greenwood, were all present at a conference called by the Selectmen regarding the condition of various town roads. Mr. Azack was informed that the Selectmen would no longer tolerate the problems caused by the road construction company trucks on Crooked Spring Road, Graniteville Road, Billerica Rd. and Turnpike Road. Mr. Azack was requested to clean up shoulders of all roads, trim loads and reduce spillage. Mr. Azack stated he would improve conditions. Mr. Azack asked permission to truck fill from West Chelmsford to North School Property and he was told that some fill could be transported, but speeds must be reduced and no spillage would be allowed. Also a discussion followed regarding the trucks crossing town land at Mill & Boston Roads and it was stated that the company would make their own agreements with the School Bldg. contractor, the L. & R. Const. Co.

Conference with Agent of Road Bldg. Co. re: their trucks crossing town land.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint Special Police Officers from the City of Lowell, Towns of Billerica, Westford and Tyngsboro for the ensuing year, per list on file. Also it was voted unanimously to appoint various persons, all residents of Chelmsford, as Special Police Officers for various locations. In each case all foregoing appointments were made without pay from the town.

Emergency Special Police Officers appointed.

A written request from Ralph J. Hulslander that Mr. Gilmore of the Lowell Humane Society be appointed a Special Police Officer for enforcement of Dog Laws only was read and taken under advisement.

Request that an officer be appointed to enforce dog laws.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously that Post 313 of American Legion could have permission to conduct a Poppy Day at Vinal Sq. on May 19th & 20th and Post 212 of American Legion could have Poppy Day at Central Sq. on May 26th and 27th. Both requests received from Post Auxiliary.

Legion Auxiliaries permitted to conduct Poppy Days.

The following Automatic Amusement Device Licenses were granted:

1. Alpine Lanes, 30 Haymarket St. 5 @ $20.00. Fee: $100.00
2. Dean's Food, Inc. 248 Princeton St. 1 @ $20.00
3. The Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Rd. 1 @ $20.00
4. Chelmsford Bowl-o-Rama, 9 Acton Rd. 8 @ $20.00 " $160.00

Licenses granted.

Mr. Nels Palm was present to ask procedure and timing for requesting an All Alcoholic Common Victualer License for the new Howard Johnson Restaurant about to open. Mr. Greenwood suggested that the business operate for awhile before such a request is made.

Inquiry re: Liquor License Application.

A conference was held with the newly appointed Bldg. Insp., Wm. Anderson, regarding procedure and enforcement of the bldg. code.

Conference with new Bldg. Insp.

It was decided that the Board of Health should be notified that the Plumbing Insp. be given notice that mult-purpose permits for each new home must be signed by the Plumbing Inspector giving evidence of his inspections, before a final occupancy permit is issued.

Plumbing Insp to be notified that he must sign permits in new bldgs. before Occupancy Permit can be granted.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, April 24, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. McAndrew was unable to attend.

Members present.

The following-named licenses were granted:

AUCTIONEER: Fees: $2.00 each. All renewals.
1. William E. Riney, 23 Hornbeam Hill Road.
2. Bradford O. Emerson, 143 High Street.
3. Arthur Pratt, 189 North Road,
4. Eliot W. Remick, 219 Westford St.
5. Theodore W. Emerson, 11 North Road.

COMMON VICTUALER: Fee: $5.00. Renewal.
1. Chelmsford Drive-In, Inc. Route 110, Littleton Road.

JUNK COLLECTOR'S LICENSES: Fees: $5.00 each.
1. Arthur Coutu, 175 Gorham St. (not to be stored in Chelmsford.) (New)
2. Mel Gladstone, 737 Boston Road, Billerica. Renewal
3. Edward R. Dixon, 24 Edgewood Road, Tewksbury. "
4. Giles L. Whitney, 567 Princeton Blvd., Lowell. "

MINIATURE GOLD COURSE LICENSE. Fee: $15.00. Renewal.
1. Middlgesex Miniature Golf, Inc., adj. to 185 Middlesex St.

BOWLING ALLEY LICENSE: Fee: $5.00.p.a.Renewal.
1. Charles F. Dinnigan, dba North Chelmsford Bowling Alleys, 20 Vinal Sq.
2. Alpine Lanes, 30 Haymarket St. (60 alleys) (6 alleys)

AUTOMATIC AMUSEMENT DEVICE: Fees: $20.00 each.
1. Rainbow Spa, Inc. 1 Bowling Machine. 294 Billerica Rd.
2. American Legion Post 313, 1 Shuffle Board. Groton Road.

Licenses Granted.

WEEKDAY ENTERTAINMENT LICENSE: Fee: $5.00
1. American Legion Post 313, Groton Road.

SUNDAY LICENSES: Fees: $4.00 each. All renewals.
1. Chelmsford Drive-In, Inc. Route 110,
2. Lulack M. Jamros, Groton Road.
3. Frank J. Girardi, Littleton Road
4. John B. Wrigley, at Central Sq.
5. " " " at Varney Playground.
6. Bertram Wolven, Vinal Sq. Variety, 2 Groton Road.
7. James & Anthony Vasilopoulos, 195 Princeton St.,
8. William Vaipan, Bill and Andy's, 30 Chelmsford St.
9. Carl Ulricson, Rusty's Sonoco Station, 54 Chelmsford St.
10. Joseph A. Thiffault, Art's Filling Station, 206 Boston Rd.
11. Louis Thamer, Chelmsford Pharmacy, 8 Fletcher St.
12. Ella M. Strick, 173 Chelmsford St.
13. Chester Spaulding, 250 Westford St.
14. Raymond E. Secor, Secor's Mkt., 75 Middlesex St.
15. Anthony Privitera, dba Tony & Ann's, Tyngsboro Road.
16. Wilfred Pare, Pare's Grocery, 114 Gorham St.
17. C. Richmond Page, Page's Drug Store, 35 Central Sq.
18. Mrs. Nelson's Candy House, 292 Chelmsford St.
19. Middlesex Miniature Golf, Inc., adj. to 185 Middlesex St.
20. John J. McEnaney, McEnaney's Market, 65 Middlesex St.
21. Frank W., Susan E. Mason, Chelmsford Trailer Park, Inc., 270 Littleton Rd.
22. Eleftherios Liakos, P&L Serv. Sta. 133 Princeton St.
23. George M. Newell, 10 Vinal Sq.
24. George Marchand, Jr. Marchand's Mkt., 321 Acton Road.
25. Raymond H. Greenwood, Shady Lane Stand, 140 North Road.
26. Chelmsford Bowl-o-Rama, 9 Acton Road.
27. Mrs. Charles Ballos, Ballos Diner, 17-19 Vinal Sq.
28. Alpine Lanes, 30 Haymarket St.
29. Harold C. Hurst, Harold's Socony Sta., 112 Tyngsboro Rd.
30. William F. Grogan, Bill's Food Store, 175 Dalton Road.

31. Fred L. Gefteas, Skip's Diner, 116 Chelmsford St.
32. Frost & Co. Druggist, Vinal Sq.
33. Fred's Gulf Service, 1-9 Princeton St.
34. Nicholas Emanouil, Nick's Texaco, 8 Littleton Rd.
35. Thomas E. Firth, Jr. & Clifford E. Firth, Firth Farms, Gorham St.
36. F. S. and P. dba Kydd's Ice Cream Stand, 116 Chelmsford St.
37. George Cummings, Cummings Atlantic, 188 Princeton St.
38. Charles J. Connor & John L. Fish, Triangle Store, 148 Groton Road
39. Mrs. Theodore P. Chianis, Ted's Mkt., 273 Chelmsford St.
40. Robert A. Capella, 108 Concord Rd.
41. George Brown, Alpine Service Center, 89 Chelmsford St.
42. Robert E. Feehan, Feehan's North Road Garage, 374 North Road.
43. Helen Bentas, The Wishbone, Concord Road.
44. Roland Boucher, Dairy Queen, 110 Tyngsboro Road.

Licenses granted.

Theatre License. Fee: $100.00 (See below) Renewal.

1. Chelmsford Drive-In, Inc. Littleton Road.

Bowling Alley: Fee: $5.00 per alley.

1. Chelmsford Bowl-o- Rama, 9 Acton Road. Total Fee: $105.00
5 Pool Tables @ $5.00. 16 Alleys @ $5.00.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, the following-named jurors were drawn:

1. Clayton Lane, 6 Sunset Avenue
2. Wilbur Dougherty, 7 Harold Street.

Jurors Drawn.

The Selectmen met with all three members of the Park Commission regarding the rebuilding of the common at Northen St. and North Road, due to road reconstruction.

Fence at Northen St- North Road Park to be removed.

Mr. Paul O'Neil, Zoning Appeal Board Member, was present to report the status of gravel bank conditions at Crooked Spring Road and also at Boston & Mill Roads, both banks being operated by Campanella & Cardi. It was decided that all concerned should visit each site immediately to determine if the regulations for each variance are being followed. Charles Harrington of the School Bldg. Committee stated that the road construction company might remove fill from land &this might be considered a contract violation by the school building contractor. It was decided that a letter should be sent to Campanella & Cardi stating that the company shall not remove any material.

Conference re: status of gravel banks at various locations..

Julia Chianis and Pearl Koulas were present regarding the application filed by Mrs. Chianis for a Wine & Malt Package Store License. They stated they knew of no objections to the granting of such a license. All documents relating to the request were on file. No action was taken at this time as the two members present were awaiting the arrival of Mr. McAndrew who was delayed from attending the meeting.

Applicants appear for a Wine & Malt Package Store License.

Mr. George Hedrick was present to request street lights for Haymarket St. and also for permission to place a large "Bowl" sign on Chelmsford St. on Merrimack-Essex land, from whom he had received permission. He was requested to consult with the State Outdoor Adv. Authority.. Also it was believed that the request might finally have to go to the Zoning Appeal Board.

Manager of Bowling Alley appears to request St. Light and placing of a sign.

Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted that the sale of the following bonds of the town be authorized: $750,000. 3.50 % School Project Loan, Act of 1948 Nos. 1 to 750), dtd 5/1/61, payable 5/1 $40,000. in 1962 to 1971 & $35,000. in 1972 to 1981, & reciting that they are issued pursuant to Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948 as amended and a vote

Board votes to borrow funds for school.

Vote for borrowing of funds for a school.

of the town duly passed, and $200,000 3.50% School Loan (Nos. 1 to 200) dtd 5/1/61, payable 5/1 $10,000. in 1962 to 1981 & recing that they are issued pursuant to Chapter 44 of the General Laws as amended and a vote of the town duly passed, to Estabrook & Co. & Associates at the price of $100.7699 and accrued interest is hereby confirmed;, and signed by Raymond J. Greenwood, Clerk of the Board of Selectmen.

Special Pol. Officers Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to appoint Joseph P. Blott, 13 First St. and
Herbert Rose, 123 Acton Road as
Special Police Officers for Road Construction without pay from the town.

Memorial Day Committee Members appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to appoint Arthur M. Morrell, 26 Manning Road,
Richard Delmore, 14 Manning Road,
Vincent McCann, 15 Carleton Avenue, as
members of the Memorial Day Committee, representatives of the American Legion Post 366, all terms to expire: 3/1962.

Theatre Lic. Fee reduced.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to reduce the license fee for outdoor theater from $300.00 to $100.00 per year.

Selectmen vote to grant license for Wine & Malt License.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to grant a Retail Package Goods Store, Wine and Malt Beverage License to Julia Chianis, dba Ted's Market, 271 Chelmsford St., Chelmsford. Fee: $200.00; Adv. Costs $10.50

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 1, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew & Mr. Greenwood were present.

Request for Special Town Meeting to act on Proposed Zoning Change.

Miss Florence Kelly was present to request that the date of June 5, 1961 be held asidefor the conducting of a Special Town Meeting. She stated that a petition would be circulated to obtain the necessary two hundred signatures. The article to be acted upon would be for rezoning of Gorham St.

Complaint Re: Health Nuisance.

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph P. Willett of Bridge St. were present to request that the Selectmen do all they could to assist in overcoming a health menace at the rear of their property. They stated there had been an overflow from sewage line and the Board of Health were aware of the problem. The Selectmen stated they would inform the Board of Health of this conference..

Sealed Bids Opened for Group Health & Life Insurance.

In the presence of the Insurance Committee, Raymond Haromon, Frederick Bardsley, Ernest Byam and James Dunigan, and various insurance agents, Sealed Bids were opened shortly after 8:00 P.M. for Group Health and Life Insurance Plan, as voted by ballot at the last town election. Bids were received from:

1. Lowell Institution for Savings
2. Roy Johnson, Agent,
3. John Hancock Life Ins. Co.
4. Washington National Ins. Co.
5. Confederation Life Association,

6. Equitable Life Assurance Co.
7. Boston Mutual Ins. Co. (Hennessy Agency)
8. U. S. Life Ins. Co.
9. Blue Cross-Blue Shield.

There were various proposals at differing rates and it was decided to meet on May 4, 1961 and commence the study of the proposals prior to a final decision.

Sealed bids opened for Group Health & Life Insurance.

William Spence of the Town and Country Cab Co., and residing at 275 Chelmsford St. requested permission to have a taxi stand at some location in Central Sq. He suggested a space between the Peterson Real Estate Office and the Chelmsford Wine Shop. He asked that the road be painted to designate the area as a taxi stand. The Selectmen decided to view the area and decide at a later date.

Request for a Taxi Stand Location.

It was decided that diagonal parking would not be permitted any longer at Central Sq. near Hart's Clothing Store, between hydrant and the "Care" Cleaning Co. Parking Lot. Mr. Greenwood stated he would notify the Police and Highway Depts.

Vote not to allow diagonal parking at Central Sq. near Hart store.

Myles J. Moran was present to stated the need for funds from the Finance Committee for removal of trees on little Hunt Rd. He stated that he learned of the need for the tree removals after town meeting and he had been informed that the Finance Committee would confer with him about his request.

Tree Warden states funds needed for tree removals on Hunt Rd.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint John Campbell as a Regular Patrolman, effective immediately, per results of examination by Civil Service for the Police Dept.

Regular Police Patrolman appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, and seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint the following-named Officers of the Billerica Police Dept. as Emergency Special Police Officers without pay from town of Chelmsford:

1. John Harring, 2. Wilfred Laurendeau
3. Anthony Diaz.

Emergency Special Police Officers apptd.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint John N. Leonard, Andrew Serptowski and Charles LaRock as Members of the Memorial Day Committee all being representatives of Legion Post 212, and all terms to expire: 5/1962.

Memorial Day Committee Members Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to permit the Bliden Co. permission to move a dwelling from Columbus Ave. to Carlisle St. and that they be notified that bond must be received in amount of $5000 and that they also must notify in writing the Police, Fire, Highway and Tree Departments.

Permission granted for removal of Dwelling in East Chelmsford.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 8, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. McAndrew was unable to be present.

Request for Transfer of Gas Storage Permit Granted.

Mr. Lionel D. Marchand was present to request that the Selectmen grant a transfer of a Gasoline Storage License from George Marchand, Jr. to Lionel D. and Josephine Ann Marchand at 346 Acton Road. It was stated that the land had changed hands during Jan. 1961. The original license was granted on March 16, 1954. On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to grant the transfer. Fee: None.

Permission to conduct Carnival granted.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to grant permission to the American Legion Post 212 for the conducting of a carnival on Middlesex St. on the Fox Bros. land, located next to the Imperial Upholstering Co. from May 15th to May 20th, 1961. Fee: None.

Pole Location Petitions Adopted.

Then the following-described petitions were adopted by the Board and all were signed by the Clerk, Raymond J. Greenwood, all for joint pole locations now on public ways, and formerly private ways:

1. C-8686, dated 4/11/61, on petition of MEECo. & NET&TCo.
   Nadine Road: 4 Pole Locations,
   Parlee Road: 17 " "
   Sandra Drive: 14 " "
2. C-8681, dated 4/5/61, on petition of MEECo.& NET&TCo.
   Janet Road: 21 Pole Locations,
   Judith Road: 16 " "
3. C-8686, dated 4/11/61, on petition of MEECo. & NET&TCo.
   Temi Road: 15 Pole Locations,
   Wildes Road: 9 " "
4. C-8687, dated 4/11/61, on petition of MEECo. & NET&TCo.
   Castlewood Drive 10 Pole Locations,
   Radcliffe Road, 10 " "
   Diamond Terrace, 2 " "
5. C-8695, dated 4/20/61, on petition of MEECo. & NET&TCo.
   Algonquin Road, 19 Pole Locations,
   Etta Street, 3 " "
   Gristone Road, 4 " "
   Haymarket St.. 3 " "
6. C-8696, dated 4/20/61, on petition of MEECo. & NET&TCo.
   Hidden Way, 8 Pole locations,
   Longview Drive, 3 " "
   Luan Circle, 3 " "
   Town Way, 5 " "
   Colonial Drive, 3 " "
7. C-8694, dated 4/20/61, on petition of MEECo. & NET&TCo.
   Abbott Lane 10 Pole Locations,
   Berkeley Drive, 9 " "
   Clarissa Road,. 7 " "

Pole Location Petition Adopted.

Then a petition of the NET&TC. & MEECo. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Groton Road, #474, dated 4/25/61 and formerly NET&TC. only was adopted to change to joint ownership.

Permission granted to conduct carnival.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to grant permission to the Kiwanis Club of Chelmsford, Inc. to hold a carnival at parking lot adjacent to Alpine Lanes off Fletcher St. from May 22nd to May 27th, 1961.. Fee: None.

A Common Victualer's License was granted to Donna Silveira dba Elm Diner, Princeton St., North Chelmsford. Fee: $5.00

License granted.

A request was received from the Billerica Selectmen that a conference be held on the subject of the joint industrial land at Brick Kiln Rd. and Chelmsford Road, Route 129. The Selectmen decided to suggest the date of 5/25/61 at 8:00 P.M. at the Billerica Town Hall.

Billerica & Chelmsford to hold joint meeting.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint F. C. Smith, Carl F. Reedy, and Leo A. Verville as members of the Memorial Day Committee; all representatives of Post 212, and all terms to expire: 5/1962.

Memorial Day Committee appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted by the majority to award the contract for the Group Life and Accident Insurance to:
The Boston Mutual Life Insurance Co. per bid showing costs of $1.28 and .16 and $4,577.28 per year
and to: The Blue Cross - Blue Shield for Health Insurance per Bids of $5.80 and $17.30 and $49,858.80 pr. yr.

Contract awarded for Group Life & Health Insurance for town employees.

Members of the Frontier Research Company were present to inquire if any decision had been reached regarding the possible issuance of a building permit to them to replace building lost by fire. It was stated that the report from the State Fire Marshal had not been received and therefore no action could presently be taken. Mr. George stated he would confer with the Fire Chief immediately to determine if any information is available.

Inquiry made re: rebuilding of burned bldg. of Frontier Research.

Mr. Dexter W. Laton was present and presented a petition signed be several persons asking that article be placed in the warrant of coming Special Town Meeting for authorization to construct a bandstand on center common. The article was sponsered by the Junior Chamber of Commerce

Petition received for Article for Town Meeting.

It was decided to arrange a joint meeting with Personnel Board Members to discuss the establishment of a new position of Gas Inspector, as required by newly-passed state law.

Selectmen to arrange meeting with Personnel Board.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 15, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, and Mr. McAndrew were present. Mr. Greenwood was unable to attend.

Members present.

It was decided to not hold a meeting on May 29th, 1961.

No meeting May 29th.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to appoint Emil J. Aberizk, as an Auxiliary Police Officer. Mr. Aberizk resides at 256 Riverneck Road.

Auxiliary Police Officer Appointed.

Complaint received from Mrs. Ida Murphy of Boston Road that a horse, owned by Joseph Collopy, also of Boston Road, was allowed to trespass on her property, to be referred to the Police Dept.

Complaint re: horse on private property.

Inquiry re: Rebuilding of Frontier Research Co. Bldg.

Letter from Robert A. Doucette inquiring about the decision of the Selectmen as to whether Frontier Research, Inc. will be permitted to rebuild, read and Mr. McAndrew stated he would contact Mr. Doucette and make oral reply.

Request for street safety signs.

Request for traffic safety signs for Mill Road between Turnpike & Billerica Rds. received from Mr. & Mrs. Karl Bomengen of Mill Rd. and the matter was referred to The Street Supt. for his recommendations.

School Committee to be permitted to use North Town Hall.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted to permit the School Department to make use of the North Town Hall for classroom purposes, if necessary, commencing with the fall semester, provided the same arrangements for maintenance and returning the building to the Selectmen at a later date, as previously agreed upon.

Request for permission to move building.

A Mr. John Lester requested by letter permission to move a building on Randall St. and the Recording Clerk was requested to notify the petitioner that a bond must be filed and notice must be given certain department heads at least 24 hours prior to moving..

Special Town Meeting June 5th.

It was decided to notify the Town Counsel that a Special Town Meeting was planned tentatively for June 5th and to forward article for placing of bandstand on Center Common.

Owners of Frontier Research Co. confer with Selectmen.

Representatives of Frontier Research, Inc. were present to inquire what could be done about rebuilding their establishment and Mr. George informed them that an office and warehouse would be approved but it was very doubtful if a manufacuring plant and possibly a laboratory would be permitted.

Safety conditions reported for Gristone & Fairbanks Rd.

Mr. George stated that he had recieved complaints regarding speed of trucks, etc. on Gristone and Fairbanks Roads and that traffic controls might have to be installed..

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 22, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, and Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present..

Pole Location Petition adopted.

Petition for Joint Pole Locations on streets, formerly private ways, and now accepted ways, as follows -
4 Poles on Brentwood Road, 6 Poles on Craig Road,
14 Poles on Donna Road,
C-8680, dated 4/5/51, MEECo. & NET&TCo. adopted by the Board and signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

License granted.

A Sunday Entertainment License was granted to Joseph J. & Richard Corsetti, 100 Tyngsboro Rd., (Meadow Grill of Chelmsford, Inc. from 6/11/51 to 6/3/62. Fee: $154.00.

Dates of next meeting set.

Meeting schedule adopted for Special Meeting on May 24, 1961 and Regular Meetings on June 6 and 19, 1961.

Inquiry re: gravel bank.

Miss LaHaise was present to inquire about gravel bank at Graniteville Rd. and she was referred to the Appeal Board for their report.

Mr. Charles Vrouhas was present to inquire about his application for a Wine & Malt Package Store License. He was informed that action would be taken within a few days. Later in the evening Mr. Edgar Hunt appeared regarding the application and he stated he opposed the granting of such a license as it would affect valuations of property in the neighborhood.

Application for Liquor License discussed.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was held on the application of Edna Hulslander for permission to store gasoline and oil at Acton Road and Bartlett St. for service station purposes. About fifty persons were present and Atty. Allen Gerson was present representing the applicant and he spoke for the applicant asking that the license be granted. He stated that the corner is a dangerous one and with the removal of the building now on the premises, the hazard would be removed, and that the location is in a business zone and therefore could be granted. A number of persons spoke in opposition, including Irene Greenblatt, High St., Roger Boyd, Bartlett St., Robert McKittrick, Bartlett St., Martin Bovey, High St., Roger Currie, High St., Stanley Armstrong, Bartlett St., C. Richmond Page, Westford St., Ann C. Jacoby, Bartlett St., Malcolm Weeks, High St., Carl McKittrick, BArtlett St., Mrs. Roger Currie, High St., Thomas Tevlin, Bartlett St., and Florence Kelly, East. Chelmsford. All spoke of the traffic hazard, and the neighborhood will change and some of the beauty will be lost. The Selectmen deferred action on the petition for further study. Paul O'Neil did speak in favor of the application.

Hearing for Gasoline Storage Permit.

Representatives of Frontier Research, Inc. were present to inquire if a written report had been received from the State Fire Marshal's Office. They were informed that it had not been received and therefore no additional information was available at this time.

Inquiry re: rebuilding of burned industrial plant.

Board of Selectmen
by G H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 24, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, and Mr. Greenwood, were present. Mr. McAndrew was not present.

Members present.

A conference with two members of the Personnel Board, Mr. Roger W. Boyd and Mr. John J. Kenney, regarding the establishment of a new position; that of Gas Inspector, as required by recently enacted state law. The subject of method of payment for services to be rendered was discussed and also the scale of fees to be charged. No final pay scale or fee scale was decided pending further study and investigation. It was stated that action on the appropriation would be taken at the coming Special Town Meeting.

Conference with Personnell Board re: Gas Inspector's position.

It was decided to notify the Police Chief in writing of the recently adopted regulation that parallel parking should be enforced between the Mill House and Caro Cleaners at Central Sq.

Vote taken re: Parallel Parking in Central Sq.

Board of Selectmen
by G H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 28, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Heavy trucks must stop at intersectiond of town roads.

It was voted unanimously to instruct the Police Chief that all heavy-trucking vehicles shall come to a complete stop when approaching an intersection and that any police officer who fails to so instruct an operator, shall be removed from his duty.

Board of Selectmen
by Raymond J. Greenwood,
Clerk.

Special Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, May 31, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Wine & Malt Package Store License Granted.

It was unanimously voted to grant a Retail Package Goods Store License for Wines & Malt Beverages to Charles Vrouhas dba Hi-Way Farm Market at 259 Littleton Road. Fee: $200.00. Adv. costs $ 9.75 The Selectmen in their vote stated that the sale of liquors shall take place in the present store used as a market, and in conjunction with the market business, and not as a separate store.

Board of Selectmen
by Raymond J. Greenwood,
Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, June 6, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. McAndrew was not present.

Little League reques permission to hold Tag Day

Mr. Philip Gilinson, Jr. requested that permission be granted to the Chelmsford Little League for the conducting of a Tag Day on Saturday, June 10, 1961, and on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted by the majority. Fee: None.

Complaints re: Dog Nuisance heard.

A group of persons residing on Westland Avenue were present and they included James Doyle, John A. and Phyllis Moulton, Ludwig Wax and Nesta Hanley. Mr. Doyle acted as spokesman and he stated that there had been a disturbance in the neighborhood from a kennel owned by Thomas Callery. It was stated that the dogs barked at early morning hours and often continually and no effort was made by the owners to abate the nuisance. The Selectmen studied the zoning bylaw and they informed the group that they would cause an investigation to be made immediately by the Building Inspector to determine if there is a zoning violation. If so, the kennel owner would be obliged to go before the appeal board for a variance. If not, then the complainants could have a petition prepared and if signed by twenty-five persons, the Selectmen would then hold a hearing to give all parties an opportunity to be heard.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the MEECo. & NET&TCo. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Spaulding Road, C-8714 dated 5/11/61, to serve Robert Hicks. No abutters were present to object and the petition was signed by the majority.

Then the following pole petitions were adopted by the Board and each did not require a hearing:

1. Chelmsford Street, 1 Pole Location Abandonment, C-8727, dtd 5/25/61, NET&TCo. & MEECo. signed by the majority present.
2. Charlemont Court, 19 Joint Pole Locations and Old Middlesex Turnpike, 1 Joint Pole Location, C-8716, dtd 5/12/61, MEECo. and NET&TCo., all formerly private ways and now accepted ways, signed by the clerk.

Pole Location Petition Hearings.

A temporary Wine & Beer License was granted to the Lowell Sportsmens Club, at Swain Road, for 6/25/61. Fee: $0.50

License granted.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted by the majority that James W. Birtwell and Edward J. Giers be appointed Special Police Officers for special jobs not paid by the town.

Special Police Officers Appointed.

Then followed a conference with the members of the Insurance Advisory Committee, Roger Welch, Henrick Johnson and Eustace Fiske. A new listing of values for town buildings was signed by the Selectmen to determine a new insurance rate and Mr. Welch explained a new plan whereby a town might save substantial in premium payments by adopting a Public Building and Institutional Plan. It was stated that a town-wide appraisal might be necessary in the future.

Conference with Insurance Advisory Committee

It was decided to send a reply to the Land Conservation Trust stating that it will not be possible for the Trust to publish their annual report in the town report because the operation of the trust is in no way connected with the town.

Selectmen decide not to permit Land Trust to publish in Town Report.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted by the majority to appoint Stanley J. Mullen, 24 Wildes Road, an auxiliary Police Officer.

Auxiliary Police Officer appointed.

The Warrant for picking up unlicensed dogs was issued to the Dog Officer and signed by the Chairman.

Warrant to Dog Officer issued.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted by the majority to grant a license for the storage of gasoline to Edna E. Hulslander at Acton Road and Bartlett St. Fee: $5.00, Adv. Costs $14.25.

Gas Storage Permit granted.

Schedule adopted for future meetings are June 26th and July 10th.

Application for a Class II Auto Dealer's License for Tony's Used Car Co. at 39 Marshall St. was taken under advisement.

Application for Auto Dealer Lic. tabled.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, June 19, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. George was unable to attend due to illness. Mr. McAndrew presided.

Request that a Street be closed for a holiday block party.

A letter from Mr. & Mrs. Thomas W. Smith requesting that Bentley Lane be closed on July 4th for a block party was read and the request was approved with the understanding that arrangements would be made to open the road in case of emergency for fire and police department vehicles.

Pole Location petition adopted.

Petition for 1 Pole Relocation on Westford St., C-8729, dated 5/26/61 by MEECo. & NET&TCo. was adopted by the Board and signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Request that Claude Road be accepted and improved.

A group of persons appeared before the Board asking that steps be taken by the town to accept and improve Claude Road as the dust was a nuisance, the road was in poor shape and without mail delivery. The group were instructed to obtain the street acceptance plans from the developer and submit them to the Selectmen during September 1961. Later after acceptance the town will be able to improve the road conditions. It was stated that the work of the developer was incomplete and thus the town did not accept the street.

Pole Location hearing.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was held on the location of 1 Joint Pole on Westford St., C-8730, dated 5/25/61, for service to John Donovan, by MEECo. and NET&TCo. Cristy Pettee was present and also Kenneth Radcliffe. There were no objections and the petition was signed by the majority present.

Pole Location hearing.

At 8:30 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the MEECo. & NET&TCo. for 1 Joint Pole Location & 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Old Westford Road, C-8691, dated 6/14/61, to serve Merrimack Homes, Inc. Arthur & Elsie M. Englund and Philip Kimmel and Kenneth Radcliffe were present. It was stated that the plan had to be revised to correct distances and Mr. Radcliffe submitted a new petition. There were no objections and the petition was signed by the majority present.

Appointments made.

Then on motions by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, the following appointments were made:

Special Police Officer for Varney Playground, without pay
from the Town: David F. Sullivan, 29 Highland Ave.
Custodian and Janitor of North Town Hall:
Lulack M. Jamros, 33 Harding St., North Chelmsford.
(Term expires: 3/1962.)

Resignation of Janitor.

It was stated that Joseph L. Larocque had resigned as Janitor & Custodian of the North Town Hall.

Conference with Bldg. Inspector.

Then a conference was held with the Bldg. Insp., William Anderson, regarding action he had taken on various complaints which had come through the Selectmen's Dept.

Police Dept. to be instructed to enforce anti noise ordinance.

It was stated that the new Anti-Noise Ordinance was being violated by a business establishment in North Chelmsford, and the Recording Clerk was requested to notify the Police Chief of this violation, per complaints received, and instruct the department to enforce the by-law in the future.

Conference with Appeal Bd. planned.

It was decided to plan a meeting with members of the Board of Appeals regarding conditions at various sand and gravel pits.

The Recording Clerk was requested to instruct the Engineering Dept. of the Boston & Maine Railroad to send a representative to visit with the Highway Supt. to determine the location and specifications for installing a drainage line from Middlesex St. under the railroad tracks to the Merrimack River.

B&M Rd. representative to be requested to meet with St. Supt.

The Recording Clerk was instructed to send the Police Chief a list of names of establishments who have not obtained their licenses and that the Police Dept. shall give notice that licenses shall be obtained and paid for within 48 hours or the business operation will cease.

Business establismts without licenses to be checked.

Final papers were signed for the commencing of the Group Insurance Plan to go into effect on July 1st.

Documents re: Group Insurance signed.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen, June 26, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, and Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

Ernest Byam, Fire Chief, was present to confer with the Selectmen and he presented the reply from the State Fire Marshal's Office relating to the recent fire at Frontier Research, Inc. The letter stated that the material used on the premises was a Class B. hazard and therefore a license would have to be issued to the owners before they could re-commence their business activities in this town. The Recording Clerk was so directed to notify the owners.

Conference with Fire Chief re: fire at Frontier Research, Inc.

Mr. Cristy Pettee was present to inquire about the plans for a possible distribution of the commission for the newly-written group life insurance plan. It was stated that present plans called for the agent of Boston Mutual to receive the commission as that agent has submitted the bid.

Insurance Agents asks that commissions be divided on group ins.

Mr. Arthur Burndrett of B Street was present to inquire about plans for repairs and improvements to B Street as there was a drainage problem and the road was not crowned properly. Mr. Greenwood stated he would confer with the St. Supt about the matter and improvements would be made.

Inquiry re: repairs to B Street.

Licenses listed as follows were then granted:

1. Sunday (Fee $4.00) and 2. Common Victualer ($5.00 Fee) to:
Richard Rogers, d/b/a Dairy Queen, 110 Tyngsboro Road.

Licenses granted.

Mr. James Smith of Swain Road was present in inquire about the regrading and filling of a ditch after a washout. The Selectmen stated they would refer the matter to the St. Supt.

Request that ditch along Swain Road be refilled.

Mr. Louis Hannaford and Mr. Walter Wilkins, were present to discuss conditions of various gravel banks being operated by Campanelli & Cardi. Mr. Hannaford assured the Selectmen that he would confer with the company representative at each location to determine what changes should be made.

Conference with Appeal Board Member re: Gravel banks.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, July 10, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. Greenwood & Mr. McAndrew were present.

Inquiry re: Sunday operation of store.

Messrs. Charles [illegible] & John Fish who operate the Triangle Store, [illegible] & Main Streets, appeared to inquire if they can operate their business on Sunday. The Selectmen stated they would confer with the Police Chief on the subject.

Elected Officers to earn more than $100. to qualify for Group Ins. coverage.

After some discussion about coverage under the group insurance plan for elected officials who receive little or no annual salary, it was voted unanimously that to be eligible, elected officials must receive a minimum of $100.00 per year. This action was taken after a conference with Mr. David Devine of the Boston Mutual Ins. Co., who informed the Selectmen that such a policy had been followed by other municipalities.

Dog Complaint hearing to be held.

It was decided to hold hearings on dog complaints of Mr. & Mrs. [illegible] on July 24, 1961.

Gasoline Storage Hearing held & license granted.

At 8:15 P.M. a Public Hearing was held on the application of Mr. J. & Marjorie Hennessey for permission to store 13,100 gallons of gas & oil underground and 1,705 gallons of misc. products above ground at 96 Westford St. Mr. Hennessey was present and presented the registered mail return receipts giving evidence that all abutters had been notified. No persons were present to object. Then on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00; Adv. Costs: $16.00

Bldg. Insp. reports on inspection of Yarid Bldg.

William Anderson, Bldg. Insp., was present to report on his investigation of complaint against Charles Yarid that more than 25% of the premises were being used for dentistry and that the building at Chelmsford St. was not being used as a dwelling. It was decided to refer the matter to the Town Counsel to see if such irregularities can be corrected.

Used Car License not granted.

A discussion followed on the granting of a 2nd Class Used Car Dealer's License to Ronald J. Pare of Gorham St. Then Miss Florence Kelley was present to state her objections and to ask what procedure to follow for others who might wish to object. Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted not to grant the license. This was a unanimous vote and one reason stated for denying the permit was that the applicant is under 21 years of age.

Permission to hold a carnival granted.

The request for permission to hold a carnival by the John Morrison Council of Knights of Columbus for July 17 to July 22, 1961, at 172 Tyngsboro Road, was granted. License fee waived.

St. Safety sign to be replaced.

A request that a "Children - Go Slow" sign be replaced at Beech & Princeton St. approved and will be sent to Street Supt. Request was received from Mr. John F. Sullivan, Jr.

Special Police Officer appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was unanimously voted to appoint Harold J. Thomas, 144 Warren Ave. as a Special Police Officer for Road Construction, without pay from town.

Character reference signed.

Request for character reference re: Melvin R. Risska, from Sec'y. of the Commonwealth signed.

Gas Inspector appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was unanimously voted to appoint Richard E. Humphrey, of 9 Edgelawn Ave., as Gas Inspector, effective immediately; term to expire: 3/1962.

Ltr. of protest from Frontier Res.

Letter from Frontier Research, Inc. stating they will contest the ruling of State Fire Marshal's Office read and tabled.

Mr. Nels Palm, Jr. was present regarding the application for a liquor license for the Howard Johnson Restaurant. The Selectmen ordered that the public notice appear in the newspapers to advertise the request.

Applicant appears re: liquor license.

Raymond McCollough of the Billerica Board of Selectmen was present to discuss the land bordering Billerica town line which may be used for industrial purposes in the future.

Billerica Selectman present re: re-zoning of land.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, July 24, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

A letter from the Blidon Co., Inc. requesting permission to move a building on Manning Road read. It was stated that the performance bond had been filed with the Town Accountant and later the building had been moved.

Letter re: removal of bldg.

Letters from the DPW relating to Chapter 90 projects were read and Mr. George suggested that in the future the annual Maintenance funds be used to surface or hot top existing roads as he believed the town would receive greater benefit than plan now in effect.

Letters rec'd re: Chapter 90 work.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint Donald B. Latham of 38 Boston Road as a Special Police Officer for Road Construction without pay from the town.

Special Police Officer appointed.

A hearing was conducted at 8:15 P.M. on the petition of the MEECo. and NET&TCo. for 2 Joint Pole Locations on North Rd. C-8745, dated 6/21/61. No abutters were present and the petition was signed by all members.

Pole Location Hearing.

Chapter 90 Maintenance contract for 1961 was signed.

Chapter 90 Maint. contract signed.

A letter from the Town Counsel regarding his opinion of a possible zoning violation at the Yarid Property on Chelmsford St. read. He stated he believed the owners were not using the property in accordance with zoning regulations. It was then stated that the Bldg. Insp. was about to take further steps in the matter.

Town Counsel states there may be a zoning violation at Yarid property.

A letter from Michael F. Terrazzano of McFarlin Road was read in which he complained of personal injuries inflicted by a dog owned by Dean Westover, 11 McFarlin Road. It was decided to inform the complainant what steps to take in order to hold a hearing.

Dog Damage Report received.

At 8:30 P.M. a hearing was then conducted on the complaint of Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Hallowell regarding two dogs owned by Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Daugherty and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Greeno. The Daughertys and the Greenos were present as well as Mrs. Karlene McKissock, who also had complained about dogs owned by the former. The Hallowells were not present. Mrs. McKissock testified that her dog had been attacked by the other two dogs and had sustained injuries requiring the services of a veterinarian. Mr. Daugherty then explained that his dog

Dog Nuisance Hearing.

Hearing re: Dog Nuisance.

had been run after and barked at by the McKissock dog. He said that no one had witnessed the attack and therefore it could have been another dog that inflicted the injuries. Then two petitions were presented to the Selectmen signed by a number of persons stating that the Daugherty and Greeno dogs were not vicious. Later in the evening the Selectmen directed the Recording Clerk to notify all persons concerned that there was insufficient evidence for the restraining of the dogs and also to request all the parties to take all precautions in the future to avoid any further incidents.

Boiler Insurance to be renewed with Church Agency.

It was decided to renew the Boiler Insurance Policy with the Fred C. Church & Co. agency and the clerk was directed to so notify the agency.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Aug. 7, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. McAndrew was unable to attend.

Juror Drawn.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf, the name of Albert Leman, of 28 Washington Street, was drawn for jury service in Cambridge by Mr. George.

Election Officers Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted by the majority to appoint the following-named persons as Election Officers for the ensuing year.

Precinct 1: Center
Wdn: Irving J. Phillips
Clerk: Mary R. Garvey,
D.Wdn: Emily A. Peake
" Clk: Harriet H. Shedd
Insp: Louise E. Harrington
" Myrtle C. Sykes
" Catherine D. Riney
" Lillian F. Lewis

Precinct 2: North
Wdn: Anna E. Cummings
Clerk: Ruth M. Jamros
D.Wdn: Florence E. Beauregard
" Clk: Dora M. Tucke
Insp: Mary M. Vondal
" Grace H. Cummings
" Ann Rooney
" Jennie V. Lavell

Precinct 3: West
Wdn: Dorothy C. Burne
Clerk: Mildred H. Wilkins
Insp: Grace Luke
" Rose A. Doherty

Precinct 4: East
Wdn: James R. Reardon
Clerk: Mary E. Swenson
D.Wdn: Cecilia Dix
D.Clk: Ruth P. Lamprey
Insp. Hilda Braga
Insp. Frances Varnum

Precinct 5: South
Wdn: Herman L. Purcell, Jr.
Clerk: Evelyn M. Philbrook
Insp: Edna House
" Grace C. Auger

Precinct 6: Westlands

Wdn: Viola B. Cochrane
Clerk: Mary H. Long
D.Clk: Ethyl M. Oates
D.Ward: Katherine F. Knapp
Insp: M. Angelique White
" Marion M. Bennett

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was held on the location of 1 Pole on Swain Road, C-8752, dated 7/3/61 by MEECo. & NET&TCo. No abutters were present and the petition was signed by the majority of members present.

Four persons; namely Daniel Leahey, Robert Yates, James Flanagan and Peter Nastasia were present to protest the granting of a liquor license to the Roslyn Shops, Inc. They stated there would soon be a school conducted at the WIA Hall and also they stated it would increase traffic at this location. Various petitions were received and letters, all asking that the license not be granted. Later in the evening, a discussion was conducted on the merits of the case and finally on a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted by the majority present to reject the license application. One of the principle reasons for denying the license was the fact that the business had operated for such a short time. Adv. Costs: $10.25.

Protest against granting of liquor License.

Vote to reject license.

The four above-mentioned persons also suggested to the Selectmen that the lower section of Stedman Street, now be closed during nights to traffic due to the new construction underway. The Selectmen agreed to study the matter.

Request that Stedman St. be closed during repairs

Mr. & Mrs. John Harrington of 11 Lynn Avenue appeared before the Selectmen and complained about the new road construction taking place in front and near their property. They stated that the new road is much higher than their lawn and water will flow onto their property; that there is danger of a pedestrian being hurt if the condition is allowed to remain. They suggested that a retaining wall be built. The Selectmen agreed to confer with the state highway engineer and to visit the area and also will study a drainage problem already affecting the property.

Request that repairs to Groton Rd. be changed.

Two petitions were then signed by the Clerk for Pole Relocations, both did not require hearings:

1. Petition of MEECo. for 1 Pole Re-location on Elm St. C-8747, dated 6/27/61, to serve William Barnes.
2. Petition of NET&TCo. for 2 Pole Re-Locations on Concord Road, #475, dated 7/3/61 for road construction.

Pole Location petitions adopted.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Aug. 21, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew & Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

The Selectmen approved the ABC schedule for hours of selling for liquor establishments for Labor Day.

ABC Labor Day Schedule adopted.

Mr. Charles Zaher entered a complaint about junk cars and the buying and selling of used cars by his brother, John Zaher, on Locke Road. The matter to be referred to the Building Inspector for his investigation.

Complaint re: Junk, & Used Car Business referred to Bldg. Insp.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the MEECo. for 1 Pole Location on Billerica Road, C-8760, dated 7/19/61 to serve Alpine Construction Co. There were no abutters present to object. The petition was then signed by all members.

Pole Location Hearing.

A group of persons were present to protest condition of Arbutus St. and Sycamore St. The Selectmen assured the group that steps would be taken to make the improvements after the Stedman St. work has been completed.

Residents of Arbutus & Sycamore Sts. ask that work be done.

Hearing for Storage of Gasoline & Oil.

License granted.

At 8:45 P.M. a public hearing was held on the application of Charles E. Watt for the use of land at 89 Chelmsford Street, for storage of 10,000 gallons of gasoline and 16,000 gallons of oil. The registered mail return receipts signed by each abutter were presented to the Selectmen as evidence of proper notification. Then on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00. Adv. costs: $12.75

Special Police Officer Apptd.

Mr. Albert Leman was appointed a Special Police Officer for Road Construction without pay from the town.

Pole Location petitions adopted.

The following-described petitions, all not requiring any hearings were then adopted by the Board and each signed by the clerk:

1. Petition of NET&TCo. and MEECo. for 1 Pole Relocation on Mill Road, C-8766, dated 7/21/61, to serve Kings Grant Estates.
2. Petition of MEECo. and NET&TCo. for 3 Pole Relocations on Stedman St., C-8776, dated 8/3/61, for Chapter 90 construction work.
3. Petition of NET&TCo. and MEECo. for 4 Pole locations on Old Westford Road, #476, dated 8/7/61.

Conference with attorneys re: Yarid Zoning Violation.

Atty. Warren Allgrove represting Dr. Charles Yarid and Atty. Vernon R. Fletcher representing the town, both appeared to discuss the apparent violation of the zoning code at dental office building of Dr. Yarid, where more than 25% of the floor space is used for professional purposes and where no person resides. After a long discussion it was agreed to allow Dr. Yarid a reasonable length of time in which to make changes to comply with the code.

Board of Selectmen
by Raymond J. Greenwood,
Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Aug. 28, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew & Mr. Greenwood were present.

Jurors Drawn.

The Town Clerk, Mrs. Charlotte DeWolf, was present during the drawing of names for jury service. Names drawn were:

1. by Mr. George: Dana W. Fitts, 41 Littleton Road,
2. by Mr. McAndrew: Mary C. Campbell, 80 Middlesex Street,
3. by Mr. George: Arthur H. Cabana, 6 Rogers Road.

Discussion re: Completion of Rte. 495.

A discussion then followed regarding the organization for the Route 495 Federal Highway. It was stated that a meeting of many town officials affected by the highway would be held on Sept. 21, 1961 and the members decided to attend.

Hearing for Gasoline Storage License.

At 8:30 P.M. a hearing was held on the application of P.K.S. Realty Trust for the use of land at 189 Chelmsford Street, for the storage of gas & oil. Approximately twenty-five persons were present including the Trustees, Nels Palm, Jr., Francis Sloan and John Kelly. Atty. Wm. H. Sullivan acted as spokesman for the petitioners. Atty. Sullivan outlined the plans of the trust, the reasons for the petition, and the probable benefits to the town and its residents in the future if the license were granted. He displayed pictures and plans of the proposed filling station. Also presented to the clerk were the return mail receipt cards giving evidence of proper notification of all abutters. Then a representative of the Atlantic Refining Co. spoke and offered to answer any questions regarding the plans available. Several persons availed themselves of this opportunity to question the company representative. Mr. & Mrs. Dowd, abutters, inquired about fencing along their property line and they were assured that a fence would be installed as a safety measure for children playing in the area. Plans for the future building of the proposed motel were explained by Mr. Palm. Both Daniel J. Hart and Warren C. Lahue spoke in favor of granting a license to the petitioner. Then various persons spoke in opposition. They were Stephen Farley, Vincent Cockcroft, Joseph G. Lantagne, Peter J. Nastasia, Walter Mellen, Daniel Leahy, James Flanagan, Adelaide Drescher, Anna H. Gannon and a letter from Arthur Johnson was read by Mr. George. The objections principally centered around the fact that no filling station had been mentioned in the hearings and at town meeting prior to the rezoning of the area for business purposes. Later in the evening, after some discussion, on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, itwas voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00. Adv. costs: $18.25

Hearing for gasoline storage license.

License to store gasoline granted.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was scheduled for petition of the MEECo. and NET&TCo. for 28 Pole Locations and 7 Joint Pole Location Abandonments on Mill Road, C-8767, dated 7/19/61, Mr. Walter J. Znoy was present but did not object to the locations. Then the petition was signed by all members.

Pole Location Hearing.

Board of Selectmen
by C.H. Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Sept. 11, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

Mr. Frank H. Costello of Groton Road was present and informed the board members of the condition of the highway reconstruction work near new Route 3 and its relation to his property. He stated that he had attempted to have the difficulties overcome with the Dist. Highway Engineer but presently they plan to slope his lawn from the street downward to his home. He stated he had appealed to Congressman Bradford Morse and he read the letter which had been sent. The Selectmen stated they would be pleased to assist in the problem but the matter did rest with state officials.

Complaint re: conditions on Groton Road near Route 3.

At 8:30 P.M. a public hearing was held on the application of Anthony C. Ferreira, for the storage of 10,000 gallons of gasolene in 2 underground tanks at 39 Marshall St. The applicant was present and the registered mail return receipt cards from each abutter was presented to the Recording Clerk. About sixteen others were present and all favored the granting of the license. Mr. Ferreira stated that a good-sized building had been built for a service station and that he had to move from his previous location due to a state taking for highway purposes. Those who spoke in favor were John C. Ferreira, Ignatius and Theresa Simard, Henry Devine, Esther Ferreira, Leslie L. Dukeshire, Wilfred Pare, Manuel Ferreira, Gabriel Gonsalves, Isabel

Gasoline Storage. Hearing.

Gasoline storage hearing.

Gonsalves, Manuel Gonsalves, Viola Ferreira, Mary Sousa, Francis Conlon and Frank Cunningham. No one spoke in opposition to the granting of the license. Then later on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew it was voted unanimously to grant the license. Fee: $5.00 Adv. Costs: $

Used Car Dealer's License Granted.

Then on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to grant a Second Class, Used Car Dealer's License to Anthony C. Ferreira at 39 Marshall St. Fee: $15.00

Pole Location removal petition adopted.

The petition of the NET&TCo. for removal of 26 poles on Turnpike Road, #478, dated 8/24/61 was then adopted by the Board. No hearing was required.

Letter re: dangerous road condition to be checked.

A letter describing the dangers of a curving road near Spaulding Road was read and it will be discussed with the Street Supt. and the District Highway Engineer.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Sept. 18, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. Greenwood and Mr. McAndrew were present. Mr. George was unable to attend. Mr. Greenwood presided.

Street Light requested for Swain Rd.

Isadore Needham was present and requested that a street light be placed on pole at corner of Swain Road and the dump road to discourage dumping at roadside when dump is closed. The request was added to the list presently being studied.

Pole Location Petitions adopted and signed.

Two petitions from the MEECo. and NET&TCo. for joint pole location abandonments were adopted. No hearings were required and both were signed by the majority present. They were:

1. For Mill Road, 2 Jt. Pole Locatn. Abandonments, C-8792, dated 8/24/61.
2. For Boston Road, 1 Jt. Pole Location Abandonment, C-8793, dated 8/28/61.

Request for conference with Cemetery Comm. received.

A letter from Cemetery Commissioner, Arne Olsen, asking that an appointment be arranged with that commission regarding the town insurance plan read and it will be suggested that Sept. 25 be the time for the conference.

Conference with St. Supt.

A conference followed with the Street Supt. regarding various street repair projects now underway.

Ltrs. rec'd. re: Street repairs.

Letters re: street repairs which are needed on Graniteville Rd. discussed with the St. Supt. and the members will visit the areas in question.

Request for information re: Street Acceptance.

Three persons from Princess Ave. were present and they asked for information for acceptance of their street. They were given a copy of the specifications. They then discussed drainage problems in the area and appealed to the members to confer with the developer who could possibly correct and eliminate some of the problems. The Selectmen stated they would confer with the builder.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Sept. 25, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, & Mr. McAndrew & Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

Ernest C. Byam, Fire Chief, appeared before the Board to state that there had been electric damage at the West Fire Station and the voting shed due to a recent summer storm. He inquired if the voting facilities should be repaired or could the voting be carried on in the fire station itself. It was decided to have new polling booths made by the School Dept. and set up in the Fire Station for future voting and that the voting shed be torn down as it was not deemed wise to repair the building.

Conference with Fire Chief re: Polling Place at West.

Messrs. Halvar Peterson, Paul Gaudette and George Gallagher & also Mrs. Gallagher were present to inquire what improvements the town could make in drainage problems at Aberdeen and Bradford Roads. It was stated that a drainage line on Aberdeen Road was not adequate in size to take care of the water from heavy storms. The Selectmen agreed to confer with the Street Supt. so that a complete study could be undertaken, with relation to cost, etc. and then recommendations would be made..

Complaint re: drainage problems on Aberdeen and Bradford Roads.

It was decided to call for bids for construction of two offices in the stage section of the upstairs Center Town Hall for Oct. 8, 1961. Mr. Wm. Anderson, it was stated, would prepare copies of the specifications for the bidders.

Town Hall Alteration Bids to be called.

The Cemetery Commissioners, Arne R. Olsen, Arthur L. Colmer and Frank H. Hardy and the Cemetery Supt., Archie R. Jordan, were present to inquire about coverage for the commissioners in the new group insurance plan recently adopted by the town. The Chairman, Mr. George, stated that the Selectmen were obliged under the provisions of the law, to establish a minimum salary for coverage in the plan. They had previously voted that to qualify an elected official must be paid at least $100.00 per year.. The Cemetery Commissioners each receive much less than $100.00 and therefore do not qualify. They inquired if the Selectmen would reconsider their previous vote and reduce the minimum requirements but each member expressed reluctance to make any such changes.

Conference with Cemetery Commissioners re: Group Insurance Plan.

A group of persons from Stedman Street, seven in number, appeared before the Selectmen and presented a signed petition asking that a sidewalk be installed on Stedman St. for school children which must use the street for travel. It was stated that a sidewalk could not be included in the Chapter 90 Highway program currently underway, but possibly a graveled path could be installed before the shoulders of the road are regraded. It was stated that the annual sidewalk projects had been disbanded since the town saw fit not to appropriate funds for sidewalk plow, to be used when it was needed most for pedestrians during winter. The group also asked for signs for reduction of speeds of cars and this request was granted and the matter to be turned over to the St. Supt.

Request for sidewalk on Stedman Street.

A Class II Auto Dealer's License was granted to Eaton F. Jefferson d/b/a Jeff's North Road Garage, at 374 North Road, Fee:$15.00

License granted.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 2, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Jurors Drawn.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf, the following named jurors were drawn:
For Cambridge, by Mr. McAndrew: George S. Wright, Jr., Bridge St.
For Lowell: by Mr. Greenwood: Helen L. Thorstensen, Dalton Rd..
For Lowell: by Mr. Greenwood: Dorothy R. Cooke, 50 Acton Rd.

Chapter 90 Projects for 1962 Discussed

Mr. George then spoke of the Chapter 90 needs for 1962 and it was decided that letters should be sent to the County Commissioners and State Dist. Highway Engineer to request funds for Old Westford Road; $30,000. from State; $15,000. from County and $15,000. from the Town..

Conference with other town boards re: tardiness of mailing excise tax bills.

A conference then was held between the Selectmen and the Assessors, Warren Wright, Claude A. Harvey and Charles House, and Finance Committee Members, Carlton Lombard, William Edge, John McNally, Richard McDermott, Jefferson R. Mansfield, Jr. and Edward Marshall and Town Tax Collector, Walter R. Wilkins. It was stated that the Tax Collector's Office was far in arrears in sending out Excise Tax Bills and money would be needed to hire additional clerk hire to do this work; otherwise serious financial difficulties would arise in 1962 when computing the tax rate. It was stated that the office fell behind in its billing during May 1962 and various officials failed to understand the reason for reporting this fact until October. The subject of the State Audit was discussed briefly as the Finance Committee desired to receive a copy of the report.

Sealed Bids opened for Installation of culvert line under railroad tracks.

At 8:15 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened for the installation of a culvert beneath the B&M Railroad tracks in North Chelmsford for new drainage line. The bids follow:

1. Frank Frederick Const. Co., Inc. $220.00 per foot for 90 ft.
2. Piatelli Const Corp: 135.00 " " " " "
3. Pipe Line Const. Co. 220.00 " " " " "

Inasmuch as total cost of bids would exceed available funds, the bids were rejected and turned over to the St. Supt. Frederick R. Greenwood, who conferred with the Selectmen later in the evening.

Request that Manahan St. be surveyed.

Mr. Arthur Thompson was present and asked for a survey of Manahan St. to determine the street bounds as he wished to landscape and plant shrubbery, etc. on his property. The St. Supt. assured him that a survey would soon be made.

Public Hearing re: Petition for Buried Cable.

At 8:30 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the NET&TCo. for the installation of 3212 ft. of buried cable on Billerica Rd. and 4813 ft. of buried cable on Turnpike Road, #477, dated 8/17/61. Mr. Jeremiah Casey of the telephone company was present to explain the program. Abutters who were present were Eustace B. & Nancy M. Fiske, Versal F. and Marion F. Robey, Harold E. and Leona M. Knight, Lowell E. and Doris M. Knisley, Robert M. and Marion F. Adams, Mr. & Mrs. Orville Clark and Emery Dearth. No one objected to the petition and it was later signed.

Request for Slow signs & Police Patrol on Turnpike Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Knisley then requested that steps be taken to place signs along Turnpike Rd. instructing motorists to reduce speeds. They stated that cars travel too swiftly considering the number of small children in the area. The Selectmen agreed to visit the area and decide what is needed and they stated they would request the police to patrol the street more often.

At 9:00 P.M. a hearing was held on the complaint of Oscar and Barbara Freeman against Thomas Canellas regarding a dog named "Lady" which they stated was vicious. Mr. & Mrs. Freeman and Fred Daron and Mathew Campanella were present. Mr. Canellas was unable to attend but his wife did send a letter explaining their side of the story. Mrs. Freeman told in detail the events which led up to the complaint and the letter from the Canellas family clearly indicated that several persons had been bitten. Then later on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to restrain the dog, and that the Canellas family be notified.

Dog Nuisance complaint. Selectmen vot to restrain dog.

Then two petitions were signed by the Selectmen, both not requiring hearings.

1. For 1 Pole Location Transfer from NET&TCo. to MEECo. #479, dated 9/21/61 by NET&TCo. and MEECo. Petition was signed by the clerk.
2. For 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment, C-8803, dated 9/13/61 by NET&TCo. and MEECo. signed by all members.

Petitions for Pole Location Transfer and Abandonment.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 9, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, and Mr. Greenwood, were present. Mr. McAndrew was unableto attend.

Members present.

Arthur Cooke, Welfare Agent, was present and it was stated that a letter should be prepared authorizing the Agent to place liens and relese liens with the approval of the Department of Public Welfare and its Board Members and the State Department of Public Welfare.

Welfare Agent confers with Board Members

Mr. Francis Silva of Old Westford Road was present to inquire about future road work and he asked when the town had taken land along the road to make the road the width of approximate 50 ft. The Selectmen stated they would attempt to learn when the land taking took place. They stated the St. Supt. would be requested to check into the matter and inform Mr. Silva.

Inquiry re: Old Westford Road Land Taking.

At 8:15 P.M. Sealed Bids were opened for the construction of two new offices in the stage section of the upstairs Center Town Hall. A Mr. McPhee and a Mr. O'Neil were present. Bids were:

1.	Teckwood Const. Co.	$1,670.00
2.	C. & E. Const. Co.	1,719.45
3.	Kymac Inc.	2,770.00
4.	William P. O'Neil	1,469.00

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted by the majority of the members present to award the contract to the low bidder, Wm. P. O'Neil, for $1,469.00

Bids opened for remodeling of upstairs Center Town Hall Contract for work awarded.

A group of persons, numbering approximately fourteen, all residents of the Smith St.-Pleasant St. section, appeared before the Selectmen and Mr. Joseph Nolan acted as the spokesman.

Complaint re: Zoning Violation

Group of persons protest operation of a taxicab business in a residential area.

Mr. Nolan stated that the group were protesting a zoning violation in their single residential area. He stated that Barnard George was operating a taxi business from his home on Smith St. by installing and using a short-wave radio set in his home to direct a taxicab business. Also public newspaper advertisements showed a telephone number to call a taxicab and that number was the George residence phone. He stated he had called the matter to the Building Inspector's attention. Mr. Greenwood stated he had been informed of the inquiry and that the Bldg. Insp. was presently investigating the matter to determine if there is actually a zoning violation. The Town Counsel, Vernon R. Fletcher, was present during the conference and it was stated that he had been notified of the inquiry and undoubtedly a study would have to be made. Mr. Greenwood asked the group for patience while the subject is studied and a decision will then be rendered. The group left a petition signed by a large number of residents protesting the business use.

Manager of Bowling Alley inquirs about hours for Oct. 12th Holiday.

George Hedrick was present to inquire about the business hours of bowling alleys for Oct. 12th and he was told that Sunday Laws would pertain and that the business could operate from 11:00 A.M. to 1:00 A.M.

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:30 P.M. a hearing was held on the location of 2 Joint Pole Locations and 1 Fully-Owned Location Abandonment on Mill Road for Reconstruction, C-8800, dated 9/7/61, by MEECo. & NET&TCo. No abutters were present and the petition was signed by the majority.

Conference with the Town Counsel.

A conference followed with the Town Counsel about cases under study and about to beheard in court.

Raymond T. Osborn inquires about future drainage plans for Old Westford Rd.

Raymond T. Osborn was present to inquire about drainage plans for Old Westford Road and its effect on a sub-division which he owns and is presently working on. He stated he would like advice on drainage requirements for his subdivision now that Old Westford Road would be improved. He was referred to the State Engineer, Mr. Cavanaugh.

Letter rec'd. re: numerous accidents on Chelmsford St.

It was decided to send another letter to the Dept. of Public Works asking for the traffic signal lights for Chelmsford St. at Golden Cove Road, particularly since receipt of a letter from Mr. Thomas Thorstensen calling attention to the number of accidents on Chelmsford St.

Builder's Risk Insurance to be placed on new Boston Rd. school.

It was decided to place builders risk insurance on the new school property on Boston Road for a period of one year effective immediately and on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted by the majority present to allot $100,000. worth to M. Weldon Haire, $300,000. to Roy T. Johnson and $300,000. to Lawrence Laughlin.

Request made to improve approach to Fletcher St. from Chelmsford St.

Claude J. Harvey was present and requested that the Board consider the changing of approach of Fletcher St. at Chelmsford St. by cutting the corner back so that vehicles will be able to enter and leave Fletcher St. with less chance of an accident. The Selectmen agreed to consider the request.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 16, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew & Mr. Greenwood were present.

Request for Street Safety Signs by Supt. of Schools.

Letter received from School Supt., Thomas L. Rivard, asking that various safety signs be placed at different locations in town where school buses travel, read and it was decided to forward the request to the Street Supt. for action by him.

Complaint from County Commissioners re: water level & rights of Swain Pond.

Letter from the County Commissioners Office informing the Selectmen of a petition received by the Commissioners relating to the water rights and water level of Swain Road in North Chelmsford. It was stated that the matter is presently before the Board of Health for solution and it was suggested that the Commissioners be informed of this fact and that the petition and letter from the Commissioners be forwarded to the Board of Health.

Flashing light at Dalton Rd. & Stedman St. suggested.

A discussion followed regarding safety measures which should be taken for Chelmsford St. and also Dalton Road. Mr. George suggested that a flashing light be installed at the intersection of Dalton Road and Stedman Street and it was decided to recommend the matter to the Street Supt. for his advice and study.

Request that Traffic Study be made.

Committee to be appointed.

Mr. Leo Kahn of the Purity Market was present and informed the Selectmen that traffic conditions in Central Square have been worsening in recent months and particularly so on Thursday and Friday evenings and that many shoppers were not trading in Central Square because of traffic congestion. Mr. Kahn stated that the Purity land and services would be offered to the town to help in any way to alleviate these conditions. Mr. Greenwood suggested that a committee be appointed to study the problem and later , on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted to establish a Traffic Study Committee to be composed of a member of the Police Dept., possibly the Chief of Police to serve, one member of the Board of Selectmen, one member of the Finance Committee and one member of the Planning Board and one citizen-member at-large.. The Committee will study and make recommendations for traffic control at Central Square.

Conference with Planning Board, St. Supt. & State Engineer re: drainage by subdividers.

Then the Selectmen and members of the Planning Board and the Street Supt. and State Highway Engineer, Edward Cavanaugh, conferred with respect to the plans for improving Old Westford Road, as a Chapter 90 project for 1962. The discussion related principally to the drainage of the road and whether present and future subdivisions will be allowed to drain into a trunk line on Old Westford Road. Questions were asked to determine if sub-dividers can ben compelled to install drainage lines to the nearest town drainage facility. It was decided to ask the Town Counsel for a ruling on this subject and after a reply the boards would reconvene to further discuss the subject.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 23, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. George, due to illness, was unable to attend. Mr. McAndrew presided.

Sealed Bids opened for purchase of Fuel Oil for Town buildings.

At 8:15 P.M. in the presence of Mr. Robert Dutile and Mr. Francis L. Monette (representing EAWilson Co.) Sealed Bids were opened for the purchase of Fuel Oil for Town Halls, Fire Houses and Libraries as follows:

1.	A-BA-Co., Inc.,	$0.12 per gallon fixed price.
2.	D.T. Sullivan Co., Inc.,	0.1345 " " " "
3.	George J. Dutile,	0.138 " " " "
4.	E.A. Wilson Co.	0.144 " " " "
5.	*Marchand Oil Co.	one cent below posted price.

*Bid rejected inasmuch as only fixed price bids acceptable.

Bids taken under advisement.

In the absence of Mr. George, it was decided to take the bids under advisement.

Dump Custodian asks that companies & bldrs. to provide own bulldozing equipment when they leave large amounts of debris. Selectmen approve.

Mr. Isadore Needham was present and requested that the board members make a ruling regarding the pushing of debris back by bulldozers to be sent or hired by a company sending in large amounts of debris; such as many truckloads over a period of a day or two. The Selectmen approved the suggestion and he was then informed to instruct the various companies or builders to plan to send their own moving equipment to the dump once the large amount of debris has been left at the dump.

Conference with Town Counsel & Planning Board re: subdividers providing all drainage facilities for new housing areas.

Then a conference followed with members of the Planning Board, Myles J. Hogan, Bradford O. Emerson, George Dupee, Claude J. Harvey, Harold J. Pearson and Louis Anthony and the Town Counsel, Vernon R. Fletcher, regarding the subject of the proper drainage facilities to be provided by subdividers in new subdivisions. The Town Counsel was questioned on the matter of requiring the subdividers to provide adequate drainage within a subdivision and then installing facilities to carry the drainage to existing nearby lines or to existing brooks, etc. in the general area. The Town Counsel stated that the Subdivision Control Laws requires that adequate drainage be provided and that the Planning Board should include such a requirement in their regulations, to be filed at the Registry of Deeds, and then instruct the Town Engineer to study such plans to determine if the facilities as shown on the plans are adequate. It was stated that the new regulations of the Planning Board, to be prepared by the Town Planner, would now include such requirements.

Conference with Town Counsel re: other subjects.

Then a conference followed with the Town Counsel regarding two legal matters, including the signing of an agreement for the installation of culvert under railroad tracks in North Chelmsford.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Oct. 30, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. McAndrew presided as Mr. George felt unable to speak and who was presently under doctor's care.

Members present.

Street Acceptance Plans were received until 8:00 P.M. There were thirty plans, named as follows:

Abbott Lane,
Bentley Lane,
Gifford Lane,
Cortez Street,
Kensington Drive,
Charlesgate Road,
Montclair Circle,
Biscayne Drive,
Algonquin Road,
Herbert Road,
East Sheppard Lane,
Hillcrest Drive,
Manor Circle,
Monument Hill Road,
Warren Avenue,
Fleetwood Drive,
Woodhead Road,
Pendleton Road,
Gary Road,
Fisher Road,
Princess Ave.,
Gregory Road,
Dunshire Drive,
Fenwick Drive,
University Lane,
Ansie Road,
Luan Circle,
Clarissa Road,
Howard Road,
Kristen Drive,

Street Acceptance Petitions and Plans Received.

A conference followed with two representatives of the Merrimack Essex Elec. Co., Mr. Ridlon and Mr. Hovey. Also present was the Tree Warden, Myles J. Hogan. The subject of the conference was the plans of the utility company to install a heavy-duty line, according to a plan displayed at the meeting, for allowing additional current into areas of the town, due to large growth. They stated that the trimming and/or removal of trees that might be in the way of the line, would be handled under the advice and knowledge of the Tree Warden and whereever trees might have to be removed, the utility company would be willing to replace same. There were no objections to the plans as shown and Mr. Hogan agreed to work closely with the utility company.

Conference with electric utility representatives re: new heavy-duty lines to be installed.

It was decided, on the advice of the Police Chief, to request for additional time on the requistion for intermittent patrolmen and also to request that all eligible names appear on the new list.

Civil Service Police List to be returned for adding of additional names.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 6, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. McAndrew presided.

Members present.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf, the following-named jurors were drawn:

1. By Mr. George for Cambridge duty: Leona Luxton, 19 Old Stage Rd.
2. By Mr. McAndrew " " " John W. Dittmer, 14 Bradford "
3. By Mr. George " Lowell duty: Stephen H. Farley, 204 Chelmsford
4. By Mr. Greenwood" " " Gerald J. Spellisey, 18 Marinel Ave

Jurors Drawn.

Mrs. DeWolf then conferred with the Selectmen regarding the overcrowded conditions of the storage sections of the downstairs vault and asked that plans be made to make more space available in the near future, and if necessary obtain funds for making improvements and additional space.

Request for add'tl. vault storage space.

It was voted to adopt Mr. George's suggestion that an article be placed in next town meeting warrant for land taking next to Town Hall

Land Taking discussed.

Subject of drainage easements discussed.

Then Mrs. DeWolf talked about the preparation and recording of drainage easments and it was decided to confer with the Town Counsel regarding the proper procedure.

Eastern Mass. St. Railway Co. issued license.

Mr. Thomas Markham, Manager of the Eastern Mass. St. Railway Co. was present to request that the company receive a license to carry passengers as follows:

1. On Mass.-U.S.Highway 3 between the Chelmsford-Billerica boundary & the Chelmsford - Lowell boundary line;
2. On the interchanges between Chelmsford St. and Mass.-U.S. Highway 3;
3. on Billerica St. (Mass. Highway 129) between the Chelmsford-Billerica boundary line and Mass.- U.S. Highway 3;
4. on the interchanges between Billerica St. and U.S.-Mass. Highway 3.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to grant the license. No one opposed the vote.

Pole Location Hearings held.

The following pole location hearings were held:

1. At 8:15 P.M. on petition of MEECo. for 1 Pole On Glen Rd., C-8817, dated 10/9/61 to serve traffic beacon. No abutters were present and the petition was signed by all members.
2. At 8:30 P.M. on petition of MEECo. & NET&TCo. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Golden Cove Road, C-8814, dated 9/27/61, for support of existing lines. Walter Bedell and Arthur D. and Marjorie Hansen were present. There were no objections and the petition was signed by all members.

Auxiliary Police Officer Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. George, it was voted unanimously to appoint James F. Eaton, 8 Pine Street, as an auxiliary police officer.

Conference with Tree Warden re: damage to town trees by gas utility crews.

Myles J. Hogan, Tree Warden, conferred with the Selectmen regarding the damage which had been inflicted on town trees by the excavation crews employed by the gas company, particularly while installing underground gas lines. He stated that probably the time has come to require the company to post a bond with the town to protect the town property. It was then stated that the Highway Dept. would also soon require the bond procedure to be followed when opening a street, and specifications for a bond are about to be outlined and prepared for publication and now specifications from the Tree Warden should be studied and submitted to the Selectmen and Highway Supt. to be included with those of the street department. With proper specifications, bonds could be received by the town and the regulations would then be enforced..

Town Accountant inquires about payment of town debt and interest charges.

Letters from the Town Accountant regarding procedure of the duties of the town treasurer were received and it was decided to hold a joint meeting between all the parties on Nov. 13, 1961.

Street Plans received.

Three street plans were received for acceptance at the Annual Town Meeting. They were: 1. Drexel Drive, 2. Dennison Road, 3. Berkshire Road., all located in the Sugden developments.

Traffic Committee representative appointed.

Mr. Greenwood was named as the Selectmen's representative to the new traffic committee.

Dog Nuisance complaint received.

A dog complaint was received from Mrs. Leonora Luxton and a letter is to be sent to her asking that the complaint be filed in written form with a sworn statement notarized by a notary.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 13, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. McAndrew was not able to attend. Mr. Greenwood presided.

Members present.

A group of persons from the Boston Road, Warren Avenue section, some seventeen in number, appeared before the Selectmen to protest the action by the Board of Appeals recently in granting a variance to a builder who plans to erect apartment houses at 60-62 Boston Road. Mr. Warren Miller acted as a spokesman for the group and he inquired what the Selectmen would do about the matter inasmuch as the Board of Appeals are appointees of the Selectmen and inasmuch as the majority of the residents in the vicinity were opposed to the buildings and some of whom had registered their opposition at the recent hearing. Mr. Greenwood then attempted to explain the Board's position in the matter. He stated that the Selectmen do not normally interfere with the decisions of the Appeal Board unless there has been illegal action, such as not following the procedure set by law. He also stated that he understood the applicants might have to re-apply for a second variance as they need additional land for the project and he stated the group could register further opposition at the second hearing and undoubtedly opposition by a large number would be duly considered by the Appeal Board Members. Members of the group present stated they had not received notices of the decision and they asked why. It was stated that the law requires that such notices of decisions be sent to all abutters. Mr. Greenwood stated he would check the matter with the Town Counsel and then advise the group as soon as possible. He also explained the recourse the objectors have if they wish to carry the matter to court. A Mr. William Hinckley of Boston Road also spoke on the subject and particularly on the subject of sewerage for such a large project. He stated it would be most unwise to grant permits for such large size multiple dwellings.

Protest against Board of Appeals Variance.

Mr. Richard McDermott, the Selectmen were informed, had been appointed as the Finance Committee Representative for the Traffic Committee.

Traffic Committee Member appointed.

A conference then took place between the Town Accountant, Lewis I. Hilton and Town Treasurer, Walter C. Wilkins and members of the Finance Committee, Messrs. Edward Marshall, Nathaniel Sweet, Carleton Lombard, John McNally and William Edge. Subjects discussed were the payment of Loan & Interest Charges by the Treasurer without a voucher and warrant approval and the payment of Blue Cross premiums, the collection of excise taxes, mailing of demands and collection by a deputy collector. Mr. Wilkins stated he was waiting for written notice from the banks that had lent the money, before making payment; that he was waiting for bills from the hospital insurance company before making payments, and that much excise tax money had been received, that he personally takes care of the mailing of demands and that he had recently hired a new deputy collector. The conference was very long and the Treasurer spoke in detail of his work. He was also asked about the number of hours he works each week and if all new bank statements are being reconciled. He stated that he

Conference with Town Accountant Town Treas. & Tax Collector & Finance Committee re: Duties of Treas. & Coll.

works a normal work-day; from 9:00 to 5:00 with a short lunch hour and even works on Sundays. He stated bank statements were all being reconciled now. Finance Committee members and the Selectmen were all concerned regarding the collection of taxes and they felt tax revenue would be less than estimated in 1961 and this could have an unfavorable affect on the tax rate of 1962. Mr. Wilkins was urged to make every effort to obtain as much tax revenue as possible.

Pole Re-Location Petition signed.

A petition for the relocation of one pole on Riverneck Road to clear a driveway, C-8820, dated 10/17/61, MEECo. and NEETCo. was signed by the clerk. No hearing was required.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 20, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. McAndrew presided.

Pole Location Petition adopted.

A petition for 1 Pole Location Abandonment on Main Street, by the NET&TCo. and MEECo., C-8833, dated 11/2/61, was adopted by the Board. No hearing was required and the petition was signed by all members.

Industrial Development Commissioner Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint George E. Whitaker as a member of the Industrial Development Commission to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Arthur Worthley; term to expire during March 1962.

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was conducted on the petition of the MEECo. and NET&TCo. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Graniteville Road, C-8826, dated 10/24/61 for support of existing lines. No abutters were present and the petition was signed by all members.

Board of Selectmen
by AH Coburn
Recording Clerk

Members present.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Nov. 27, 1961.
Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew & Mr. Greenwood were present.

Licenses granted

The following-mentioned licenses were granted:
All Alcoholic, Club, Renewal
  American Legion, Alberton W. Vinal Post 313, Inc.
All Alcoholic, Retail Package Goods Store, Renewals
  Chelmsford Package Store, Inc., 149 Gorham St.
  Chelmsford Wine Shop, Inc., 37 Central Sq.
  Hindman's Market, Inc., 229 Chelmsford St.
  North Chelmsfore Wine & Liquor Co., Inc., 2 Vinal Sq.
All Alcoholic, Common Victualer, Renewals
  Dean's Food, Inc., 248 Princeton St.
  Dad & The Boys, Inc., 225 Littleton Road,
  Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road,
  Meadow Grill of Chelmsford, Inc., 100 Tynsboro Road,

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Mr. McAndrew presided at the meeting.

An order of taking was signed to obtain ownership of parcel of land near Monmouth St. for Cemetery Department purposes, per vote at the Annual Town Meeting of 1961. The order, after signed by the Selectmen, was forwarded to the Town Counsel..

Order of Taking for Land for Cemetery signed.

A petition of the MEECo. & NET&TCo. for 2 Joint Pole ReLocations on Mill Road, C-8835, dated 11/13/61 adopted by the Selectmen and signed. No hearing was necessary..

Pole Re-Location petition adopted.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy S. Peverill were present to inquire about the placing of a street light on Groton Road near their home. It was stated that an order had been sent in but that the company could not place the light on pole number submitted. Mr. Peverill suggested that light be placed on Pole No. 65, and the Board approved this suggestion. The Recording Clerk was then instructed to notify the utility company of the pole number.

Request for street light on Groton Rd.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. H. Adams, Mr. Joseph H. Woods and Mrs. Alice P. McDowell all residents near Maple Ave. appeared before the Selectmen to protest the granting of a license by the Board of Health to a neighbor for the keeping of four horses on a small sized house lot near their homes. They stated that it was a nuisance and they had been unable to use their yards due to the offensive odors. The Selectmen informed the group that they had no legal jurisdiction in the case but they agreed to confer with the Health Board members in order that the case might be reviewed.

Complaint heard re: stabling of horses on small lot.

The Public Works Supervisor of the Town of Billerica, Mr. Armand D. Provost, appeared before the Board and presented a letter from the Billerica Selectmen asking that they be permitted to install water mains on Brick Kiln Rd. in Chelmsford. On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was unanimously voted to grant the permission, and that the Street Supt. of Chelmsford be so notified, and that the Town of Billerica restore the road to its present condition.

Town of Billerica asks permission to install water main in town stree t.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint Ralph J. Hulslander as a Constable for the ensuing year.

Constable appointed.

It was decided to notify all candidates for appointment as Special Officers that interview will be conducted On Dec. 4th commencing at 7:00 P.M.

Candidates of Police Dept. to be interviewed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint Edgar P. George, Bradford O. Emerson and Forrest E. Dupee as local members of the Community Advisory Council of the Mass Transportation Commission.

Committee for Mass Trans. Comm. appointed.

On a motion by Mr. George, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint Mrs. Ella P. Lombard, as a member of the Traffic Committee.

Traffic Committee Member appointed.

Edgar P. George was appointed as a member of the Committee to study the Executive Secretary for Selectmen plan.

Chairman to serve on committee

It was decided to instruct the Street Supt with the help of Mr. Cavanaugh, to inspect all streets which have been submitted for acceptance and to make a report at a later date of the condition of each and their recommendations.

St.Supt.to view new sts.

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Paramount Lounge, Inc., 40 Vinal Sq.
Princeton Creamery, Inc., 147 Princeton St.
Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294-296 Billerica Road,
Skip's Inc., 116 Chelmsford St.

Wine and Malt Beverages, Retail Package Goods Store, Renewals

Charles Vrouhas, 259 Littleton Road,	dba	Hi-Way Farm Market
Patrick J. Murphy, 39 Vinal Sq.,	"	North Chelmsford Market
Julia Chianis, 271 Chelmsford St.,	"	Ted's Market,

All Alcoholic, Druggist, Renewal
C. Richmond Page, d/b/a Page's Drug Store, 34 Central Sq.

Common Victualer Licenses. Renewals, Fees: $5.00 each.
Bertram Wolven, 2 Groton Rd.
Anthony & James Vasilopoulos, 195 Princeton Blvd.
Charles F. Senia, 193 Princeton St.
Roslyn Shops of Chelmsford, Inc., 185 Chelmsford St.
Anthony Privitera, 35 Tyngsboro Road,
George M. Newell, 10 Vinal Sq.
George McMahon, 370 North Rd.
Helen S. Bentas, Concord Road,
John R. Kydd, 11 Central Sq.
Ruby Emery, 24 Central Sq.
Demoulas Super Market, Chelmsford St.
Mrs. Charles Ballos, 17-19 Vinal Sq.
Phyllis Anderson, 9 Fletcher St.
Lence (Alpine) Lanes, 30 Haymarket St.
Skip's Diner, Inc., 116 Chelmsford St.
Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294-296 Billerica Rd.
Princeton Creamery, Inc., 147 Princeton St.
Paramount Lounge, Inc., 40 Vinal Sq.
North Chelmsford Wine & Liquor Co., Inc., 2 Tyngsboro Rd.
Meadow Grill of Chelmsford, Inc., 100 Tyngsboro Rd.
Dad & The Boys, Inc., 225 Littleton Rd.
Dean's Food, Inc., 248 Princeton St.
Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Rd.
C. Richmond Page, 35 Central Sq.
American Legion Post 313, Inc., Groton Rd.

Licenses

Granted

Auctioneer, Renewal Fee: $2.00
M. Edward Riney, 4 Bartlett St.

Automatic Amusement Device Licenses. Renewals.

Lence (Alpine) Lanes, 30 Haymarket St.	Fee:	$100.	(10	machines)
Chelmsford Bowl-o-Rama, Inc., 9 Acton Rd.	"	140.	14	"
American Legion Post 313, Inc., Groton Rd.	"	20.	1	"
Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road,	"	20.	1	"
Dean's Food, Inc. 248 Princeton St.	"	20.	1	"
Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294 Billerica Rd.	"	20.	1	"

Sunday Entertainment, Renewals. ($50. State Fee & Town $2.00 per Sunday)
Dean's Food, Inc., 248 Princeton St.,
Dad & The Boys, Inc., 225 Littleton Rd.
Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road.
Princeton Lounge, 147 Princeton St.
Mrs. Charles Ballos, 17-19 Vinal Sq.

Weekday Entertainment, Renewals, Fees: $5.00 each.
Rainbow Spa, Inc., 294-296 Billerica Rd.
Paramount Lounge, Inc., 40 Vinal Sq.
Meadow Grill of Chelmsford, Inc., 100 Tyngsboro Rd.
Dean's Food, Inc., 248 Princeton St.
Lion's Den, Inc., 141 North Road,
American Legion, Post 313, Inc., Groton Rd.

Complaint re: Gravel Bank Operation.

Messrs. Richard Wholey and Earl Burdett were present regarding the delay in closing the Crooked Spring Road gravel bank operated by William Buxton. Mr . Buxton was present as an observer. The complainants inquired as to why it had been so long to invoke the closing and they were told that the case was pending in the courts and that little could be done until a final court decision is reached. They stated they would obtain legal advice and they believed a prompt decision could be made. They stated they would meet with the Selectmen with their attorney and the Town Counsel on Dec. 4th.

Planning Board appoint member to Traffic Committee.

Notification was received from the Planning Board that Mr. Louis Anthony had been appointed to serve on the Traffic Control Committee for Central Sq.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 4, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present. Due to illness, Mr. George was unable to attend. On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted that Mr. M cAndrew be appointed Temporary Chairman.

Licenses Granted.

The following-listed licenses were granted.

Class I - Auto Dealer, Renewals. Fees: $15.00 ea ch.
Roger Boyd, Inc., 40 Chelmsford St.
Europa Motors Ltd., Inc., 123 Princeton St.,
Manzi's Dodge, Inc. of Lowell, 59 Central Sq.

Class II - Auto Dealer, Renewals. Fees: $15.00 each.
Joseph S. Starr, 122 Gorham St.
Percy T. Robinson, 25 Vinal Sq.
Orman W. Leland, 293 Chelmsford St.
Joseph Vieira, 2-4 Tyngsboro Road,
Eaton F. Jefferson, 374 North Road,
Harold C. Hurst, 112 Tyngsboro Road,
Anthony C. Ferreira, 39 Marshall St.
Frederick J. Fantozzi, 1-9 Princeton St.
Edward J. Duffy, Tyngsboro Rd., near Sleeper St.
Kenneth V. Cutcliffe, 100 Chelmsford St.

Class III Motor Vehicle Junk License Renewals, Fee: $15. each.
Roger Boyd, Inc., rear of Emerson Ave.
Farley H. Kemp, Sleeper St.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted to appoint the following-named persons as Permanent Intermittent Patrolmen at $2.10 per hour, per civil service list, for the Police Dept., effective immediately:

1. Henry R. McEnany, 2. William F. McAllister,
3. James F. Midgley, 4. John J. O'Rourke,
5. Robert G. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chancey of Groton Road appeared before the Board and they requested that the light ordered for Groton Road, on Pole No. 65, be changed to No. 64. It was decided to review the matter again before making a final decision.

A hearing was conducted at 8:15 P.M. on the application of Claude J. & Etta Harvey for storage of gasoline, etc. at 325 North Road. Mr. William Harvey submitted the registered mail return receipts giving evidence of proper notification of abutters. No other persons appeared at the hearing. On a motion by Mr. Greenwood it was voted to table the license pending further investigation.

Juror Drawn.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, the name of William Bezanson of 123 Dalton Road, was drawn for jury service.

Group protesting use of gravel bank appear & Town Counsel explains legal action previously taken.

A group, some 13 in number, from the Crooked Spring Road,-Twiss Rd. area were present, with also Mr. William Buxton, in relation to the pending court case involving the Buxton gravel bank. The Town Counsel, Vernon R. Fletcher, was also present and he gave the group a complete summary of the court case, from the inception to the final briefs filed in Supreme Court. He stated that a decision from that court was due momentarily. The group asked a few questions and in most cases Mr. Fletcher was able to answer all inquiries. A member of the group did request that a sign be installed on Crooked Spring Road reading, "Slow - Children". The Selectmen stated they would consider the request and that in the future speeding and spillage complaints should go to the Police Dept..

Discussion with members of Police Department re: various departmental subjects.

A long discussion then followed with the Police Chief, Ralph J. Hulslander, and also Sgt. Basil Larkin in attendance. Mr. Green- stated that information had reached him from various sources that members of the Police Dept. had been making comments which reflected on the operation of the Selectmen's Dept. He stated that the Selectmen were constantly receiving complaints of speeding, spillage of fill from trucks, etc. and that the members of the Police Dept. should be taking care of these matters before they become so severe that complaints come to the Selectmen. He stated further that more supervision is needed. Also the work by non-civil service officers in the Police Dept. was discussed&that in the future no such officer should be given any supervisory work. If more men are needed, then a new list should be called from Civil Service.. It was also stated that Officers had been making uncomplimentary remarks about the Selectmen and the granting of licenses. Mr. Larkin did acknowledge that he was against the granting of licenses for pool tables and that much difficulty had come from it. On a motion later by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted that the Police Chief should inform the Selectmen of all complaints and resulting investigations of establishments which hold licenses, and this report shall be in writing..

All Liquor establishments to close at midnight on holidays.

It was decided to have all establishments serving alcholic beverages close on Sunday nights, Dec. 24 and Dec. 31, at midnight.

Conference with Tree Warden re: tree cutting, etc. by utility company.

It was decided to invite Mr. Ridlon of the electric company and Mr. Casey of the telephone company to the next meeting of the Selectmen due to complaints of the Tree Warden, due to damage to trees, on Turnpike Road, while changing pole locations.

Board of Selectmen
by AHCoburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 11, 1961.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew & Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members present.

Tree Warden, Myles J. Hogan, appeared before the Board regarding work by utility companies and resulting damages to trees. The conference with Mr. Ridlon & Mr. Casey was not held as they had met earlier with Mr. Hogan. It was stated that the difficulties had been discussed and a future course of action had been decided upon. It was finally decided to notify the Tree Warden of all petitions received which will be set up for hearing.

Conference with Tree Warden Re: Utility company work near town trees.

A group of about ten persons, with Joseph P. Hgopian as the spokesman, appeared before the Board as representatives of the Committee for Better Government and they presented a petition signed by approximately 450 persons, requested a Special Town Meeting prior to Jan. 15, 1962, to act on three articles, listed on each petition, relating to (1) conflict of interest of town officials, (2) powers of removal of an official, and (3) establishment of a five-man Board of Selectmen. A discussion followed as to the merits of the larger Board of Selectmen with Mr. George offering his suggestions, since he was completing his second term of office. Later it was decided to send the petitions to the Board of Registrars for verification and to set the date of the Town Meeting tentatively as Jan. 8th.

Group petitions for a Special Town Meeting. Several articles submitted.

Then discussions followed with the Fire Chief, Ernest Byam and Street Supt. Frederick R. Greenwood regarding the Fire and Highway Departmental Budgets for 1962. The Fire Department Budget carried requests for salary increases and the purchase of a Ladder Truck. The Highway Department budget carried requests for wage increases and the purchase of several pieces of equipment; in most cases, replacements of older vehicles.

Budget discussions with Fire Chief and Highway Supt.

Messrs. Paul Goyette and William Dempster appeared before the Selectmen and asked that steps be taken to remedy a dangerous condition at the intersection of Richardson Rd. and Graniteville Road by eliminating a curve, or widening the roadway or installing signs. The matter was later referred to St. Supt. Mr. Greenwood, and it was believed Stop Signs should be installed as soon as possible.

Request that improvements be made to eliminate danger at Richardson & Graniteville Roads.

Various members of the Police Auxiliary, including Mr. Richard Wholey, Chairman, appeared before the Board. Mr. Wholey inquired about the recent publicity he had seen in the newspapers relating to the lifting of a badge of a certain member of the Auxiliary Police, the identity of whom was not mentioned. Mr. Wholey asked that the Selectmen name the person who had been discussed at the last meeting. He added that the matter did not appear in the minutes of the last meeting but did appear in the newspapers. Mr. Greenwood replied that the motion had been made by Mr. McAndrew, but it was later withdrawn, and that no action was consumated, thus no explanation was necessary, as Mr. Wholey did also ask for an explanation. Mr. Greenwood stated further that if the motion had been voted, then an explanation would be given. Mr. Greenwood acknowledged that Mr. Wholey was the officer in question. At this point Mr. Wholey asked the Recording Clerk if the record contained the name and proper spelling of his name. He received an affirmative reply.

Auxiliary Police Members appear & make inquiries re: badge removal of one of its members.

Permits granted for Out-door Speaker.

Mr. James Quinn of the North Chelmsford Hardware Company appeared before the Selectmen and asked for a permit to operate a loudspeaker for outside Christmas Music and on a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unaimously to grant permission for a seven-day period from Dec. 12th to Dec. 18th. Fee: None.

Permits granted for Outdoor Speakers.

Also permits were granted to:

Alfred DeAmicis, Paramount Lounge, for use of loudspeaker for seven day period; Dec. 12th to Dec. 18th.

Chelmsford Jaycees, for Christmas Music on Dec. 24th, at Central Square park, opposite Kydd's Restrurant, from 2:00 to 6:00 P.M.

Letter from Tax Collect. & Treas. explains portions of State Audit critisims.

A letter from the Treasurer & Tax Collector was read which related to the recent Audit Report and gave an explanation of certain transactions by the Treasurer in correcting his records. It was decided that the Selectmen should confer with the Treasurer about his work, and the operation of his office, and also with the Director of Accounts and state auditors. Mr. George agreed to make arrangements to meet with the Director of Accounts.

Future meeting schedule.

It was decided to hold regular meetings of the Selectmen on Dec. 27th and Jan. 3rd.

Proofreader for Town Report hired.

It was stated that Mrs. Leslie will be willing to do proofreading work on Town Report..

License granted.

A Temporary Wine and Beer License was granted to the Chelmsford Lions Club at Mill Road, for Dec. 16, 1961. Fee: $0.50.

Board of Selectmen
by A H Coburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectman,
December 18, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Insurance budget for 1962 discussed.

Messrs. Eustace B. Fiske and Roger P. Welch were present to discuss the insurance department budget for 1962. It was decided to allow the insurance advisory committee members to complete the budget and submit it to the Town Accountant..

Pole Location hearing.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was held on the application of the MEECo. & NET&TCo. for 1 Joint Pole Location on Mill Road, C-8836, dated 11/13/61, and no abutters were present. The petition was then signed by all members.

Requests from Assessors & Cemetery Dept. that their salaries be studied by Personnel Board.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to refer to the Personnel Board the requests for salary study of the Assessors and Cemetery Commissioners, as written requests had been received from both departments.

Then two petitions for pole location abandonments were adopted by the Board, both not requiring hearings and described as follows:

Pole Location Petitions adopted.

1. Petition of the NET&TCo. & MEECo. for 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Chelmsford St., C-8849, dated 11/4/61 for driveway clearance of Mr. Yarid. The petition was signed by all members.
2. Petition of the MEECo. & NET&TCo. for 1 Joint Pole Location Abandonment on Chelmsford St., C-8844, dated 11/20/61 to serve records, and petition was signed by all members.

Documents re: Incorp. read.

Two applications for Incorporation received from the Sec'y. of the Commonwealth and both to be sent to Police Chief for investigation.

Inquiry from Bonding Company received.

Inquiry from the American Surety Co. regarding gravel pit bonds of Campanella & Cardi sent to the Appeal Board for report.

Conference with Town Counsel.

A conference followed with the Town Counsel, Vernon R. Fletcher regarding the articles submitted for the Special Town Meeting. He stated further study was necessary before he would know if they can be legally voted at the meeting.

Notice of personal injury.

A report of leg and/or knee injury to Mrs. Edward H. Davol received and read and it was decided, upon advice of the Town Counsel, to obtain written Police and Highway reports on the condition of the sidewalk at Vinal Sq. where injury is said to have happened, and photographs tobe taken if necessary.

Outdoor Loudspeaker Permit granted.

The Paramount Lounge received an extension of the permit for outdoor loudspeaker for holiday music from Dec. 19th to Dec. 25th.

Conference with Finance Committee re: Special Town Meeting.

A long conference followed with members of the Finance Committee, Messrs. Marshall, Lombard, Edge and McNally. The discussion related to the coming Special Town Meeting and the articles to be voted.

State of Emergency voted.

Later, with Finance Committee members present, on a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Marshall, it was voted unanimously to declare a state of emergency in the town with respect to Snow Removal and appropriate the sum of $2,000. from available funds to defray the costs of recent snow and ice storms.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Dec. 27, 1961.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Juror Drawn.

In the presence of the Town Clerk, Charlotte P. DeWolf, the name of Robert A. Cappella, 108 Concord Rd. was drawn for Jury Service in Cambridge.

Meeting Schedule adopted.

It was decided to hold the next two meetings on Jan. 4, 1962 and Jan. 10, 1962.

Article from Planning Bd. for Annual Town Meetin Received.

A letter from the Planning Board was read in which the members of that Board requested that an article be placed in the Warrant of the Annual Town Meeting to enable the town to become a member of the Lowell Regional Planning District.

Treas & Coll. Bond Certification signed.

Letter to the Commissioner of Taxation signed certifying that the bonds for the Treasurer will be $62,100. and for the Tax Collecyor $73,200.

Conference with Street Supt. re: Emergency for Snow & Ice Removal.

The Street Supt., Frederick R. Greenwood, was present to inform the Selectmen of the costs of Snow & Ice Removal due to recent weekend storms and he stated that a sum of $11,327.83 was needed to pay bills outstanding.. On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to declare an emergency in the town with respect to Snow & Ice Removal and to appropriate the sum of $11,327.83 from available funds with which to pay all costs.

Sealed Bids opened for Printing of Town Report.

Sealed Bids for the printing of the Annual Town Report were opened and the bids are listed as follows:

Sullivan Bros. Printers:	$11.95 per page.
Northeast Offset, Inc.	14.46 per page (and $14.08 per page if book is larger than 1960 report.)

Contract awarded.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to award the contract for 2500 copies to Sullivan Bros.

Invitation to attend Jaycees Forum rec'd.

A member of the Jaycees was present to invite the Selectmen to a meeting or forum of the organization as they hope to have an open meeting to discuss and hear all opinions of interested persons regarding the articles to be acted upon at the coming Special Town Meeting. It was stated that the meeting would take place on Jan. 4th at the Center Town Hall at 8:00 P.M.

Discussion re: Conference with Director of Accounts relating to Treas & Tax Collector's Duties.

A discussion followed regarding the conference of two members of the Board with officials of the office of the Director of Accounts relating to the recent audit of the books of the town and the prevailing lax conditions of the Treasurer & Tax Collector's Office. Finally it was decided that the Treasurer and Tax Collector should be requested in writing to file with the Selectmen monthly records of bank reconciliations and statement of accounts and also, as previously agreed, a statement of Taxes received..

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 4, 1962.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present. Due to illness, Mr. George was unable to be present.

Pole Location Petitions Adopted.

Two pole location petitions were adopted by the Board. No hearings were required.

1. 3 Joint Pole Locations on Old Westford Road, C-8862, dated 11/14/61 by MEECo. & NET&TCo.
2. 4 Joint Pole Locations on Carlisle St., C-8857, dated 12/13/61 by MEECo. and NET&TCo.

Auxiliary Police Officer Appointed.

It was voted to appoint Robert E. Olson, 14 Harold St., as an Auxiliary Police Officer.

Incorporation Certificates signed.

Certifications to the Sec'y. of the Commonwealth were signed for the following named groups:

The Massachusetts Assn. of Bioanalysts, Inc., Robert Harris, 25 Donna Road, Chelmsford.

Chelmsford Better Government Assn., Inc., Joseph B. Hagopian, Frank X. Towle, Florence M. Kelley, James P. Shaver, Raoul L. Drapeau, MD., Leslie K. Lear, Jr., Daniel J. Leahey, Thomas N. O'Shaughnessey.

Emergency declared for Snow & Ice Removal.

On amotion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to declare an Emergency in the Town of Chelmsford regarding Snow & Ice Removal in the amount of $1.190.64, and that funds be made available for payment of such bills, from accounts of 1961.

By Raymond J. Greenwood,
Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 10, 1962.

Meeting cancelled.

The meeting was cancelled during the early evening hours. No members of the Board of Selectmen were present. The Recording Clerk was present and received various visitors and each was informed that the business of the evening would be conducted on Monday evening, Jan. 15, 1962.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 15, 1962.

Members present.

Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present. Mr. George was unable to be present. Mr. McAndrew presided.

Pole Location Petitions signed.

A petition for 1 Joint Pole Location on Edson St. and 11 Joint Pole Locations on Manning Road, C-8856, dated 12/8/61 for road reconstruction by MEECo. & NET&TCo. signed by the majority present. The hearing had been conducted on Jan. 10, 1962 at 8:15 P.M. with Lillian M., Richard P. and Barbara A. Leaver and Julian Kinnal and Myles J. Hogan present. They did not object to the locations.

Pole Location Petition adopted.

Petition for 1 Pole Relocation on Mill Road, C-8861, dated 12/14/61 by MEECo. & NET&TCo. signed by the clerk. No hearing was required. Purpose of the petition was for road changes.

Pole Location petition signed.

Petition for 2 Joint Pole Locations on Locust Rd., C-8847, dated 12/1/61 by MEECo. & NET&TCo signed by the majority present. No abutters objected. Hearing had been scheduled for 1/3/62 at 8:15 P.M. and later conducted on Jan. 4th. Petition was for service to David Dutton.

Report from DPW re: Traffic Signal at Golden Cove.

A detailed letter from the Traffic Division of the DPW. was read regarding their reply to the Selectmen's request for signal lights at Golden Cove. The department stated they felt they must deny the request after a detailed study had been made. They did recommend changes in street lighting and the Selectmen notified the press that new lights had been ordered.

oard of Appeals Member Appointed.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted unanimously to appoint Richard L. Monahan as a member of the Zoning Appeal Board, term to expire 3/1962, to fill the unexpired term of Louis L. Hannaford.

Article for Warrant.

As requested by the Police Chief, the article he submitted for Town Meeting Warrant, to be sent to the Town Counsel for drafting.

Gas Storage Applicant must receive state approv- before permit is granted.

It was decided that a letter should be sent to Claude J. Harvey stating that the Selectmen would approve his request for a Gasoline Storage License at 325 North Road, provided Mr. Harvey received a written statement from the State DPW stating they approved the location of such a service station.

North Chelmsford Water Dist. requests additional funds for Hydrant Serv.

Mr. Wesley Harper, Jr. appeared before the Selectmen and presented them a letter from the North Chelmsford Water Dist. requesting that the Hydrant Service appropriation be increased from $4,500. to $6,500. in 1962. The Selectmen agreed to confer with the Finance Committee on this matter. The request was made to equalize the per hydrant rate with the Center District.

Salt Bids received and opened for Highway Dept.

Sealed Bids were received for purchase of Rock Salt for the Highway Dept. as follows:

By Mr. Greenwood: *Eastern Minerals,
Bulk $12.00 per ton FOB.Chelmsford.
" 13.75 delivered by truck.
By Mr. McAndrew: Chemical Corp.
Bulk $12.42 per ton FOB Chelmsford.
" 14.85 delvd. by truck.
12.22 " at Everett.
By Mr. Greenwood: *International Salt Co.
Bulk: $12.42 per ton FOB Chelmsford.
" 14.85 " " delvrd.by truck.
Bags. 23.00
*denotes representative of company present.

It was decided to forward the bids to the St. Supt. for his study.

Photographer to be hired for Town Report.

It was decided to engage the services of Mr. Leonard Irvin, Photographer for pictures for Town Report.

Request that street names be changed of areas near Rte. 495.

Edward Baron was present regarding the clarification of street names in his vicinity which have changed since the completion of Route 495. It was decided that the matter should be done at a Town Meeting and memo was prepared so that an article could be inserted in the warrant.

Board of Selectmen
by
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Jan. 22, 1962.

Members present.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew & Mr. Greenwood were present.

Articles for Annual Town Meeting Rec'd. & read.

Various articles for the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting were received and read.

It was decided to hold the Street Acceptance Hearings on Feb. 21, 1962.

A petition for 1 Joint Pole Re-location on Mill Road, C-8869. dated 1/5/62 by MEECo. and NET&TCo. for reconstruction purposes was adopted by the Board. No hearing was required and the petition was signed by the clerk.

Petition
for Pole
Relocation
Adopted.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint the following-named persons as Weighers of Merchandise, Terms to expire 3/1963, and all being employees of the Gilet Wool Scouring Corp:

Frederick W. Knox, Sr.,
Francis J. Sakalinski,
Edgar Theriault,
Eugene E. Gilet,
Alex F. Coluchi, Jr.,
Clifford M. Hoyt,
Arthur Beaulieu,
Mederic Tousignant,
Manuel Ferreira,
William Jones,
Albert J. Drouin,
Francis C. Fadden,
John J. Hehir,
Arthur Soucy,
Eugene Gauthier,
Ovila Sirois,
George Noval,
Frederick H.Harris,.

Weighers of
Merchandise
Appointed.

The resignation of Charles Egerton as a member of the Zoning Appeal Board was received and accepted..

Resignation
of Appeal
Board Member
received &
accepted.

Sealed Bids were received and opened at 8:15 P.M. in the presence of a representative of the Gulf Oil Co. They follow:
1. By Mr. McAndrew: Texaco, Inc. Disc. price of .0571
2. By Mr. Greenwood: Gulf Oil Corp: " " " .0440
On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to award the contract to the Texaco, Inc.

Gasoline
Bids Opened
and contract
awarded.

A discussion followed relative to the appointment of a member to the committee for study of Five-man-Board-of-Selectmen and Code of Ethics By-Law, as established by recent Special Town Meeting vote. It was decided to consider the appointment of a former Selectman, inasmuch as his past experience would be of great value to such a committee.

Discussion
re: appmt.
of committee
member for
Study of
Special Tn.
Mtg. article

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Boardof Selectmen, Jan. 28, 1962.

Mr. George, Chairman, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Members
present.

Members of the Zoning Appeal Board, Willis Buckingham and Paul O'Neil, were present to discuss the status of the various gravel banks inasmuch as the bonding companies have inquired to learn if all work had been completed. The members stated they would check their files, make incuires, and then furnish the Selectmen with a report within a week.

Conference
re: Status
of Various
Gravel
Banks.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, and seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint Royal Shawcross as a member of committee to study a Code of Ethics By-Law and to study the advisability of establishing a five-man Board of Selectmen, as so voted at the recent Special Town Meeting..

Royal Shaw-
cross apptd.
Committee
Member.

On a motion by Mr. Greenwood, and seconded by Mr. McAndrew, it was voted to accept the resignation of Thomas A. Malloy,Jr. as a member of the Conservation Commission.

Resignation
of member
of
Conservation
Committee.

Board of Selectmen
by AHColburn
Recording Clerk

Regular Meeting of the Board of Selectmen, Feb. 5, 1962.

Members present.

Mr. George, Mr. McAndrew and Mr. Greenwood were present.

Inquiry re: need for license for permission to operate Frontier Research, Inc.

Representatives of Frontier Research, Inc. appeared before the Selectmen to inquire why a building could not be now constructed at site of fire. They asked for reasons why they could not commence operations again. Mr. George read the last report received from the Fire Marshal's Office. Mr. Panagiotakas then stated that later communications appeared to alter an earlier decision. It was stated that the Selectmen had not received any later letter than the one of June 1961. It was finally decided to make inquires from the Fire Chief to determine if a license is required to commence operations.

Public Hearing for Pole Locations.

At 8:15 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the MEECo. and NET&TCo. for 4 Joint Pole Locations on Mill Rd. for reconstruction. Abutters present included Christina Reardon Walsh and David Walsh and Leonard Dailey. They asked for additional reasons and information relating to the petition and it was decided to request a utility representative to visit them and answer the questions.

Gravel bank report from Board of Appeals.

The Selectmen received a report from the Board of Appeals regarding the status of certain gravel bank bonds and during the meeting inquires were made by Christina Reardon Walsh and Helen and Mrs. Armand LaHaise, about the bonds on Canal St. and Crooked Spring Road gravel banks. All were informed that the bonds would not be released unless all required work is completed.

Pole Location Hearing.

At 8:30 P.M. a hearing was held on the petition of the MEECo. for 1 Pole Location on Billerica Road, C-8860, dated 12/14/61 to serve Prototypes, Inc. No abutters were present and the petition was signed by all members.

Special Police Off. appointed.

On a motion by Mr. McAndrew, and seconded by Mr. Greenwood, it was voted unanimously to appoint Edward A. Fox, 6 Claude Rd. as a Special Police Officer for School Traffic Duty.

Inquiry re: new town office bld. and office procedures for Treas.

A letter was received from Ira H. Reimer, 13 Abbott Lane, inquiring about need for new municipal office building and conditions in the Treasurer's Office. The Selectmen directed that a reply be sent stating that only a study committee is presently analyzing the need for such a building and also that the Selectmen do not have any jurisdiction over the operation of the Treasurer's Office.

Dog Complaint Hearing to be held.

It was decided to hold a hearing regarding dog complaint of Suzanne H. Hace, against Dorothy Holmes.

Street Light Order approval.

The Recording Clerk was directed to prepare a street light order for Pole No. 64 on Groton Road, in reponse to request of Joseph Chancey.

Patrolman resigns.

The written resignation of Louis J. Capodilupo, of 8 Juniper St., as a Patrolman in the Police Dept. was read and accepted.

Inquiry re: subsidy for Golden Age Club.

A letter from Mrs. Paul Bellwood of the Golden Age Club was read in which she asked that the town consider a subsidy appropriation for the club. It was stated that the request was received too late.

Board of Selectmen
by Recording Clerk

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

CHELMSFORD, MASS.

Detailed transcription of testimony , etc. regarding a Joint Hearing with the Board of Selectmen and persons who protested the moving of the North Chelmsford Fie Station from the Robinson Property to the Gagnon Property.

See Page 5, Paragraph 13 in this book for mention of hearing.

A group of about forty persons met with the Selectmen in the upstairs Center Town Hall with regard to the changing of the location of North Chelmsford Fire House Quarters.

The hearing commenced at about 8:57 P.M. with Mr. Boyd presiding. Mr. Boyd first introduced the Board Members and the Recording Clerk, then outlined past events leadingup to this hearing, then acknowledged the receipt of a group of signed petitions, and then stated that the Board would first hear from those who favored keeping the quarters at the present location, after which those who opposed the continuing of quarters at the present location.

Those who spoke in favor were:

Halvar Peterson, 30 Groton Road. Mr. Peterson commenced by saying that he had not been in politics much, that he had sat back and allowed others to take over such duties but after the decision had been made to move the quarters he had consulted other persons interested in the matter and then called the Selectmen; particularly Mr. Boyd and Mr. Smith, and he had learned that the Board had favored the moveand that it had been published in the newspaper that the new location would be on Middlesex Street, then he got his group together and the petitions were prepared and signed. He said the question had been left to the public to decide and this is not his own opinion; but that of many other persons. He requested that the decision be reconsidered. He said that the reasons were generally known why the group favored the opposing of this decision; that the move will be at a place beyond the railroad tracks where only one tenth of the section of town is located; that nine tenths of the area served is on the other side of the Middlesex Street crossing. He said the new location is too far out and that with the new firehouse to be built in the near future, it would be best and proper to keep the quarters at their present location. He said the Fire Chief did not mention the increase in rent in his letter to the owner of the garage when he gave notice of termination, but that he did mention the parking and traffic conditions. He then read the letter aloud which Mr. Kidder had sent to Mrs. Robinson. Nothing was said regarding the increased rental charge as being the reason for moving. He said that the Selectmen have the right to set the rental charge. He then asked if we should move becuase of rent and then not give the proper protection.

Then Eugene F. Crane, 80 Westford St., spoke and stated he was a Vice President of the Southwell Combing Co. and he then read a prepared statement, of which a copy follows.

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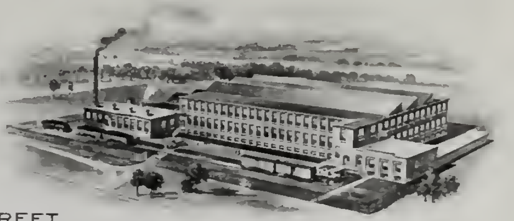
PLANT 2



PLANT 1

51 MIDDLESEX STREET
NORTH CHELMSFORD
MASS.

November 15, 1955

Board of Selectmen
Chelmsford, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Southwell Combing Company wishes to go on record as being opposed to the fire truck being shifted from the central area of North Chelmsford to a location on the southerly side of the railroad tracks on Middlesex Street.

The fire underwriters who insure our company stated that they would be definitely opposed to such a change, with a strong possibility that our insurance rates could go up because of the fire protection being impaired by such a move.

We take this stand because of thirty to thirty five closings of the railroad gates on Middlesex Street per twnety four hours. This number of closings was given to us by Mr. Brown, the station agent for the railroad. The only other route that a fire truck might take from the proposed new location would be over the Princeton Street bridge which is shortly to be rebuilt. The program for rebuilding is to start approximately between six weeks and two months. When the project is in full swing the bridge will be closed to traffic for six months. This information was supplied to us by Mr. Fred B. Dole, Associate Commissioner of the Massachusetts Department of Public Works.

Something that could be an extreme hazard is the noontime condition wherein a freight passes through the crossing on Middlesex Street. If the fire truck must pass up through Church Street or in through that area, because of lack of some sidewalks in the immediate vicinity of the kindergarten, the smaller children will be endangered because they walk in the road. At the same time, many cars are pulling away from this kindergarten with kindergarten children as passengers.

If a fire should start in our synthetic department it would make fast headway even though we believe we have very good fire protection equipment as recommended to us by the Factory Insurance Association. With our own protection, plus a fire truck that could respond immediately to a call, we do not believe a fire could get

out of control. However, if a truck could be delayed because of bridges pulled up or trains passing over the crossing the results could be disasterous to us.

We hope and trust that the Board of Selectmen and the Fire Chief will give this matter of the truck location change more consideration. We strongly feel that the truck belongs on the northerly side of the railroad crossing and the Princeton Street bridge regardless of where in this area it might be garaged.

We wish to thank you gentlemen for your consideration in having a meeting to allow us to express our opinion on this matter. Until this time we did not know that such a move was under discussion.

Very truly yours,

SOUTHWELL COMBING COMPANY

Eugene F. Crane

Eugene F. Crane
Vice President

EFC/jlw

Copy sent to Alan Kidder, Chief, Chelmsford Fire Department

Richard Foley, 88 Swain Road. Mr. Foley called attention to the fact that the North School would be on the northside of the railroad tracks and that the trains passing could delay the fire trucks. He said that all industries and stores are also north of the railroad tracks.

Royal Shawcross, 40 Dunstable Road. Mr. Shawcross commenced by saying that the hazard from traffic would certainly be greater on the easterly side of the town and particularly on holidays it would be very difficult. He said that there would be quite a distance to run from this new location. He said he had no personal interest but he thought to locate the station at the extreme end cannot be as safe as a central location.

William E. Buxton, 88 Twiss Road. Mr. Buxton stated that he was in a different position than most, that he depends on wells for water, that there is about $100,000 in insurance coverage near his premises and that he has recently built eight houses which carry $125,000 in insurance coverage and they are located in between the Center, West and North. He said that he strongly opposed this move and wished to protest against the change.

Arthur L. Provencal, 23 Dunstable Road. Mr. Provencal stated that the alarm system will have to be changed and he advised the forgetting of this plan until a new fire house is built. He said that the alarms will have to be moved again in about a year or so. He also called attention to the fact that the changing of the location might mean a change in insurance rates.

Clarence A. Trubey, 7 Washington Street. Mr. Trubey called attention to the fact that the Town Hall is on one side of his property, the Krasnecki property is on the other side and there are many older-type tenement buildings nearby. He said that in each case the owners had worked hard to obtain their property and although he admitted that this was selfish talk, he felt that because of the condition and age of this property, it could easily be ignited and become a serious fire if the department did not get to the locale without delay. He said also there was a barn nearby and now a grage in the rear and a shed with storage facilities for fuel oil and a board fence. He said there was a fire there awhile ago and because it was small it was put out quickly in or around the tenement and the fire alarm had been pulled in early and the fire extinguished easily. But he said anything could happen. He said on the radio and television, ever so often, one is reminded that the first few minutes in the case of the fire count the most and particularly so in congested areas. He protested to the change.

Mr. Shawcross then spoke again and asked if it was true that the West Fire Dept. is called when there are fires in North. He said that if this was so then the west residents are not as secure with the truck they now have with the new location as compared to the old location.

Then Mr. Boyd stated that those who opposed would be able to speak at this time.

Mr. Boyd, as Chairman of the Selectmen, spoke first and mentioned first the new procedure for operating the fire department from engineers to a chief. He said that the Board, at the time of the proposed change, had opposed it but it had passed anyway, and all power was removed from the Selectmen to the Chief. He said that the Chief has now a life-time job and cannot be removed without cause an a hearing and his appointees who have been on duty for 2 years or more cannot be removed without cause and hearing. The Selectmen have little control now with the exception of funds for the department. Then he said that $1,200.00 had been

appropriated in 1955 and everything was running smoothly until Oct. 11th when the letter was received from Ruth Robinson. (He then read the letter.) and then the Chief became upset because the new building being planned would not be ready until late in 1956 as insufficient funds were available to award the contract for the amount of the bid and the matter is now pending awaiting the appropriation of more funds at the coming annual town meeting. The appropriation was for $48,000. and then need $60,000. per plans drawn. He said that in previous years the rent has increased from $75.00 to $100.00 and now the Chief had one alternative and took action. He said that the Gagnon property which had been studied and acceptable was near the lumber yards and they had never had close fire protection, and many places had to depend on outside facilities. He said to find new quarters would be a saving of upward to $600.00 and then it was decided to vacate and a letter was sent to Ruth Robinson setting the effective date of the change to Dec. 1st. He then referred to the comments that had been made and first referred to those by Mr. Crane. He said that in regard to the Princeton St. bridge detours and repairs, the bid for the work would be awarded anytime now and the construction would commence in the Spring (probably about April) and all supplies would be on hand and the work finished by July 1st, per agreement with the State Engineer. To move the alarm system will cost about $100.00, Mr. Boyd, stated;that the new rent would not be anymore than what is presently being paid. Then Mr. Boyd read the letter which had been received 11/14/55 in which Mrs. Ruth Robinson had reconsidered her decision. Mr. Boyd commented that the increase was substantial considering there was only one bay, with a bus on one side and cramped quarters in which one could hardly walk around the truck. He said it was not the best situation and to pay $100.00 a month for it was ample rental charge. He said that the Board would confer with the Chief on the matter and a finding would then be released.

Carl J. Lebedzinski, 127 Groton Road. Mr. Lebedzinski asked if there were any guarantees that the Gagnon quarters would have a rental increase. Also he called attention to the fact that St. John's Church would be between the new station and the center of town and the traffic stemming from the church to the bridge would be serious.

Mr. Shawcross asked where are the Yankee Traders and that the town needed same today?

Mr. Boyd attempted to answer the previous question stating that the town has grown considerably and that he spends as much as two to three hours daily on town business and still keep his private affairs in order and that today with so much to do in such a short space of time, there is no time for the Yankee traders.

Mr. Shawcross then stated that he was not referring to the Board of Selectmen but he did think that the heads of departments did have the time.

Mr. Boyd replied that previous boards did try to trade with the owner of this property but each time it did not work out favorably for the town.

James K. Quinn, 148 Princeton St.. Mr. Quinn inquired as to the cost of moving the fire alarm system to the new quarters.

Mr. Boyd stated it would cost about $100.00 per figures received from the Fire Chief.

Everett F. Smith, 84 Swain Road. Mr. Smith asked if the Board approved the change.

Mr. Boyd stated that the Board did approve, per facts presented and at hand at the time.

Mr. Smith then attempted to ask the Selectmen a hypothetical question about moving the center firehouse from its present location to someother place not as central and then wondered if the Board would like it.

Mr. Boyd stated that changes had been made from time to time in the past and that it had moved from Central Sq. to in back of the Town Hall, etc.

Mr. Foley then asked what the Board would have done if the Gagnon Property had not been available.

Mr. Boyd said that probably a Special Town Meeting might be necessary to obtain additional funds.

James F. Smith, 86 Swain Road. Mr. Smith asked where the $100.00 would come from to pay for the moving of the alarm system.

Mr. Boyd replied that it would come from the Fire Alarm Repairs and Maint. account.

Mr. Shawcross then asked when the new rate of $150. per month commences.

Mr. Boyd stated he believed it would be January 1st.

Mr. Foley then asked if funds for expenses such as this, as voted in March at the Annual Meeting, retroactive to January 1st.

Mr. Boyd said it was not; that only salaries are retroactive.

Mr. Everett Smith then said that since Mrs. Robinsonhad reconsidered there was no need for further deliberations.

Mr. Boyd then said the Selectmen had heard all the comments and they would discuss the matter with the Fire Chief.

Mr. Smith then said that the people should decide the issue; not the Fire Chief, and why wasn't the Fire Chief present.
Mr. Peterson then spoke and wondered why the chief was not present, also and said that the group had spoken to the Board about this meeting and that many had signed the petitions.

Mr. Boyd stated the petitions was received at quarter of eight this evening and it was not known just how many would appear.

Mr. Shawcross asked the group to disperse and allow the Selectmen to carry on their business and study this matter.

At this point the hearing closed.

Board of Selectmen
by aHCoburn
Recording Clerk